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NEW YORK.

Movements of Senate Transportation Committee.

TRIAL OF STOKES.

New Developments in the State Treasury Defalcation.

NEW YORK, October 18, 1873.

Casualties at a Fire.

Hawkes, Camp & Co.'s hay cutting and baling establishment, on Thirteenth avenue, was burned early this morning. The loss on the stock and building is fifty five thousand dollars. When the flames had been suppressed one of the walls fell, killing one man, probably fatally injuring two more, and more or less severely wounding a number of others.

Movements of the Senate Transportation Committee.

Senator Windom, of the Senate Committee on Transportation, will leave to-night for Washington, and on Monday the other members of the committee will follow. From Washington the committee will proceed to Richmond, and thence to Cincinnati, stopping at intermediate shipping points, and returning to Washington by the 17th of November, when it will take a southern coast direction, stopping at important cities. On reaching New Orleans the committee will return by way of the Mississippi.

At the session to-day the committee listened to suggestions concerning terminal facilities for grain destined for foreign ports and the construction of a canal from the Ohio to the James river, to be of sufficient capacity to pass wide flat boats, such as could navigate the Mississippi and its tributaries, so that shipments at western depots could be carried to the Atlantic without unloading, these water ways to be constructed by the Government.

The Committee brought their labors to a close in this city by a trip down the Bay and an inspection of the harbor and railroad termini.

Stokes' Trial.

Dos Passos, of the counsel for Edward S. Stokes, in his civil suit, this third trial for the murder of James Fisk, Jr., finished to-day his opening address to the jury.

At the conclusion of Mr. Dos Passos' address, Frances M. Bixby, a brother of Justice Bixby, testified that Stokes called on him on the day of the shooting, and talked about going to Providence.

A recess was then taken, after which the counsel for the prisoner asked that the jury inspect the stairway and hallway of the Grand Central Hotel, to judge for themselves if Hill and Redmond could have seen Hart had he been present at the shooting. But the request was denied.

The evidence of different persons given at former trials was read, to show that Stokes made preparations to be at a meeting of the National Trotting Association in Rhode Island, January 9th, 1872.

The Court then adjourned to Monday, and the jury were sent to a hotel in charge of officers.

Some surprise having been caused by the failure of the prosecution to call the new witness, Mrs. Benton, of whom so much has been said and written, Assistant District Attorney Allen says the prosecution never intended to call Mrs. Benton. She was ignorant, or feigned to be ignorant, on certain matters with which she was supposed to be familiar, and, moreover, her character was such that it was undesirable to put her in the witness box.

The State Treasury Defalcation.

New developments occurred to day in connection with the heavy defalcation of Chas. H. Phelps, cashier of the State Treasury Department. Late this afternoon, Frank R. Sherman, who for some six months past has been doing business at No. 89 Broadway, ostensibly as a banker and broker, but mainly in what he calls "Vienna syndicate stock operations," was arrested and the bail fixed at $30,000, but being unable to furnish the amount, was committed to Ludlow street jail.

The Foreign Export Trade.

Inquiry at the offices of the principal steamship lines show that the foreign export trade, at one time seriously threatened by the financial panic, is in a healthy condition, and that large shipments are made by every outgoing steamer, without material alteration in rates.

Gone Forever.

George Francis Train, who arrived only last week from Europe, having become disgusted with the country, its politics and people, sailed away again to-day, leaving, he says, forever.

Back Pay Returned.

Ellis H. Roberts, just returned from Europe, has covered his back pay into the Treasury.

THE POLARIS.

The Death of Captain Hall.

NEW YORK, October 18.—The *Times*, in its story to-day of the Polaris investigation, says that Mr. Morton denies absolutely he ever had any suspicion of foul play in the death of Capt. Hall, or that he ever, to the best of his knowledge and belief, told any one he had, or gave any one reason to suppose he had. When Dr. Hall returned from the sledge expedition Dr. Bessells was employed in the observatory, about two hundred yards from the Polaris. As he saw Dr. Hall and party approach he ran down and congratulated and shook hands with them, and then returned immediately to his work at the observatory. Dr. Hall and party entered the vessel, and all partook of some coffee, of which all the crew of the vessel had previously drank. The coffee was prepared by the cook and was given to the party either by him, Joe or Hannah. The party were unaffected by the coffee except Dr. Hall, who was immediately attacked with vomiting. After vomiting he fell into a state of insensibility. It was about half an hour after the return of the party when Dr. Bessells was summoned from the observatory and found Dr. Hall already in a comatose condition. When Dr. Hall revived from a state of insensibility, it was found that his left side was paralyzed, which is considered by medical men in itself an absolute refutation of the charge of poisoning. The suspicion that Dr. Bessells caused the death of Dr. Hall, baseless as it undoubtedly is, fell on his friends, any of whom were also warmly attached to Dr. Hall, to be most harsh and cruel. The symptoms and medical treatment of Dr. Hall have been submitted to the most eminent medical men of the country, and by them his death has been unhesitatingly pronounced to have been due to natural causes, and the treatment employed by Dr. Bessells is indorsed as being exactly that which was required and the only treatment proper under the circumstances.

ST. LOUIS.

Session of the Old School Presbyterian Synod of Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, October 18.—The Independent, or Old School Presbyterian, Synod of Missouri met here yesterday, with Rev. J. G. Fackler as Moderator. This is the Synod which in 1866 asserted a declaration and testimony which caused it to be ruled out of the representation, and led to the secession from the Northern General Assembly, to which it then belonged, and since which time it has been independent of all higher bodies. The most interesting question before the Synod was the proposition to unite with the Southern Reformed Church.

A lengthy discussion was had with Rev. Dr. Brooks, of St. Louis, who was a leading spirit in the discussion and testimony, and the most prominent opposer of the proposition. A vote was finally reached late last night, and resulted in forty-seven in favor of union and thirty-two against. Dr. Brooks then asked the thirty-two opponents of union to meet in his church this morning to determine what further action shall be taken.

The State Superintendent of Insurance Requested to Resign.

Wm. Selby, State Superintendent of Insurance, has been requested to resign by Governor Woods, on the ground, as is alleged, that serious complaints have been made against him regarding the administration of his office. What these complaints are is unknown, but it is asserted that they do not refer to his late action towards the St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company. The name of ex-United States Senator Frank P. Blair is mentioned in connection with this office, and it is understood that he will be appointed to it, and that he will accept.

NEW ORLEANS.

A Girl Killed by her Father.

NEW ORLEANS, October 19.—Caroline Hugel, aged twenty two, from Alsace was killed by her father, Joseph Hugel, this morning, immediately after landing from the steamship Louisiana. They took passage at Bordeaux, and the father asserts that the daughter, becoming too intimate with a young Frenchman on the steamer, dishonored her family. He promised the Captain of the steamer not to molest his daughter on board, but soon after landing he stabbed her twice with a knife, fatally.

Raid Into Grant Parish.

The Ozark, of Kellogg's navy, with a Metropolitan mounted squad and two pieces of artillery, leaves for Grant parish to-night. The object of the raid has not transpired.

A French Bishop Murdered.

NEW YORK, October 18.—Private advices received from the French settlement of St. Pierre give information of the assassination of Monseigneur de Vere, the first Bishop of that diocese. The Bishop was murdered in the sacristy of the chapel of St. Jean de Rue, having been stabbed in the heart and lungs while at prayer. Two sticks were found on the floor, and one Emil Palatiere, a cousin of the Bishop, was charged with the crime and arrested. It is said that the crime was induced by the fact that Bishop de Vere inherited all the fortune of Palatiere's father, a wealthy Frenchman, and once an extensive stockholder in the Messageirie Imperial Steamship Company. The murdered Bishop was consecrated in August last by Archbishop Dupanloup at Orleans, France.

RIVER DISASTER.

A Mississippi Horror—The Steamer Mary E. Poe Burned—A Number of Passengers Missing and Others Injured.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., October 18.—Ten miles above Osceola, Arkansas, on the Mississippi river, above Memphis, at four P. M. yesterday, the steamer Mary E. Poe was discovered on fire over the boilers. The flames had gained such headway that the boat was run on a bar, but the deck passengers were forced to swim to save their lives.

The clerk reports sixty-five passengers on board of whom the chambermaid, one cabin boy, one cabin passenger, two female and one male deck passenger are missing. The pilot, Hans Cowan, was badly burned before he left his post. Several passengers were badly burned, none reported serious.

The Poe was a large stern wheel St. Louis and Red river, Carter Line, freight carrier. The City of Helena arrived at the scene soon after, rendered all the assistance possible, and brought the survivors to this city. The Poe was on her downward trip. Part of the cargo was seventy-five barrels of oil, which burst, spreading over the surface of the water a sheet of flame, by which many men were burned after leaving the boat.

ST. LOUIS, October 18.—The steamer Mary E. Poe, reported burned at Daniel's Point, yesterday, was owned here by Carter & Conn, John N. Boffinger and Thomas and John W. Poe. She was valued at $30,000, and was insured for $20,000. Carter & Conn's interest was insured for $6,000 in Cincinnati, John N. Boffinger's for $5,000 in St. Louis companies, and the remainder unknown. The Poe left here on Sunday with twenty passengers and eight hundred tons of freight, valued at $75,000. The freight lost is insured for $4,500.

CAIRO, October 19.—Wm. Dorsey, a deckhand, was one of the lost.

WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., 7:30 P. M., Oct. 19, 1873.

Probabilities for To-day.

For Monday, throughout the Gulf States and Ohio valley, northerly winds and cool, clear weather.

For the Atlantic coast, northwesterly winds, cloudy or clearing weather. The storm centre will move north and northeast over Chesapeake Bay.

For the middle Atlantic coast, easterly winds, backing to northwest, with rain and lower temperature.

For New England, southeast to northeast winds, with cloud and rain.

For the lower lake region, northwesterly winds, cloudy or clearing weather, followed by southwest winds and rising temperature.

Cautionary Signals

Are ordered for Wilmington and Cape May.

POLITICAL.

A Mixed Municipal Ticket in Chicago.

CHICAGO, October 18.—A meeting of leading citizens, including representative Republican and Democratic city and county committees, Independent law and order parties, and several newspapers, held at the Grand Pacific Hotel, tonight, nominated the following ticket, which, it is said, will be supported by the *Tribune*, *Inter-Ocean*, *Post*, *Journal*, *Mail* and *Freie Presse*: Mayor: L. Bond, Republican; City Treasurer, D. A. Gage, Democrat; City Attorney, J. N. Styles, Democrat; Police Commissioners, Reuben Cleveland and Representative Clark; Criminal Court, W. B. Sullivan, Republican; City Collector, Alex. Morrison, Republican; County Treasurer, Phillip Wadsworth, Republican; and County Clerk, J. W. Brockaway, Republican. There are two Irish, but no Germans, on the ticket.

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

The Debates of the Convention—Proposition from the State Printer—The Railroad Article Under Discussion—Amendments Adopted and the Article Referred to a Special Committee—Mr. Howard Refuses to Serve—The Power of the Railroads in the Convention.

THE CONVENTION PRINTING.

In the Constitutional Convention on Friday morning President Walker laid before the Convention a communication from the printer of the Convention. This was as follows:

PHILADELPHIA, October 17, 1873.

To the Hon. John H. Walker, President of the Constitutional Convention:

Under the settlements heretofore made of my accounts as printer for the convention and the construction of the laws which has been applied to my contract, I suffer, as I have heretofore represented, considerable loss. Having on hand sixteen hundred sets of the debates of the convention printed on my own account, I respectfully request the convention to order them to be supplied to the members for distribution, bound in the same manner as those heretofore supplied, at the price of $1.30 per volume, which would barely compensate me therefor. And in case said order is made, I accept the same as a final and conclusive settlement and equitable adjustment of any claim I may have or claim to have against the Convention or Commonwealth for any greater sum than that I have received or may receive under the settlement of my accounts in accordance with the rules, principles, and construction which have controlled the settlement of my accounts heretofore rendered.

B. SINGERLY, Printer.

In the discussion which followed, the acceptance of the above proposition was advocated as a final settlement of the dispute between the printer and the Committee on Accounts as to the allowance to be made for extra printing expenses, etc., and the specific rate to be allowed under the printing contract, the amount in controversy aggregating between $15,000 and $20,000.

Mr. Hay, chairman of the Committee on Accounts, incidentally remarked during the debate that if the Convention should adjourn finally at any time before November 1, its entire expenses of every kind would not exceed $175,000, this being $25,000 less than the amount appropriated by the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Edwards, of Allegheny, Mr. Singerly's proposition was accepted—yeas 83, nays 4.

Mr. Howard offered the following resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Private Corporations: "All persons or incorporated companies doing business in this Commonwealth as bankers, or who shall make it a part of their business to receive on deposit the money of other persons or institutions, are prohibited from buying or dealing, directly or indirectly, in the stocks, bonds or obligations of private corporations, except those engaged exclusively in manufacturing or mining) in any way, except as agents for the sale of the same; and a violation of this section shall be a criminal offence, punishable as the General Assembly shall by law direct."

TELEGRAPH LINES.

Mr. Brodhead offered the following, which was referred to the Committee on Private Corporations: "The Convention having provided for the general and free construction of railroads and canals, and for the organizing of mining, manufacturing, and other companies by general law, the Committee on Corporations be instructed to inquire into and report as to the propriety of adopting the following article: 'Any individual, partnership, or corporation organized for the purpose shall have the right to construct and operate telegraph lines between any two points in this State.'"

NEW COUNTIES ARTICLE PASSED.

The final vote on the article on new counties was reconsidered, and, on motion of Mr. H. W. Palmer, the section prohibiting the division of a county without a vote of the people in its favor was stricken out. The article was then rejected.

RAILROAD ARTICLE DISCUSSED AND REFERRED.

The railroad article was further considered, the pending amendment by Mr. Buckalew being agreed to. This was to make the seventh section read as follows: "No president, director, officer, agent or any employe of any railroad or canal company shall be interested, directly or indirectly, otherwise than as a stockholder in such company, in the business of transportation as a common carrier of freight and of passengers over the works owned, leased, controlled, or worked by such company."

An amendment by Mr. Hemphill also prevailed, requiring the Legislature to enforce the provisions of the article.

Amendments by Messrs. Bigler and Cochran were rejected.

Messrs. Broomall, Lilly, Knight, and Curtin criticised many of the provisions of the article as defective, as loading down and endangering the new constitution before the people, as doing more harm than good in the way of railroad reform; as striking directly at a vital interest of the Commonwealth, ect.

Mr. Campbell, of Philadelphia, defended the article.

A motion by Mr. Corbett to refer the whole subject to a special committee of seven, to be appointed by the Chair, with a view to the revision of the article was finally carried—yeas 48, nays 39. Considerable interest was manifested in the result of the vote, and its announcement led to an exhibition of personal feeling on the part of some of the friends of the railroad article.

Mr. Howard, a member of the Railroad Committee, announced that under no circumstances would he serve upon any other similar committee. He added: My own judgment is that the power of the railroads has been evinced most wonderfully here to-day, and I am willing that what I say be put upon the record.

The President (with great earnestness): The Chair would like to know what the gentleman means. If he means that there is corruption in this body, I call him to order. [Cries of "That's right;" applause, and increasing confusion, during which Mr. Howard was understood to make a reply, the exact language of which was inaudible at the reporter's seat.]

Mr. Campbell moved that the Convention now adjourn *sine die*. [Renewed laughter.] The motion was not entertained.

This deviation from the monotony of the proceedings was but momentary, and, with the adoption of an order for a report from the special committee on Tuesday morning next, the subject was dropped.

Subsequently, the Chair announced the following as constituting the committee: Messrs. Corbett, Broomall, Buckalew, Turrell, Bigler, Armstrong and Brodhead.

The remainder of the day was consumed in disposing of the articles fixing the location of the capital at Harrisburg, regulating the method of making future constitutional amendments, etc.

Adjourned till Monday.

PENNSYLVANIA.

The Vote for Judge of the Supreme Court and State Treasurer.

Below will be found the official vote for Judge of the Supreme Court and State Treasurer in the counties named, together with the vote for Governor one year ago, for the purpose of comparison:

COUNTIES.	GOVERNOR		SUPREME JUDGE		STATE TREASURER	
	J. F. HARTRANFT, R.	C. R. BUCKALEW, D.	ISAAC G. GORDON, R.	JAMES LUDLOW, D.	R. W. MACKEY, R.	F. M. HUTCHISON, D.
Adams	2705	3033				
Allegheny	25771	16490	12257	8079	12202	8141
Armstrong	4434	3469				
Beaver	3685	2882				
Bedford	2973	2977				
Berks	7808	13947	3888	7987	3872	7982
Blair	4263	3244	3114	2373	3184	2518
Bradford	7443	4434				
Bucks	7278	7656				
Butler	3685	3440				
Cambria	2878	3530	2794	1222	2857	2368
Cameron	672	331				
Carbon	2744	2503				
Centre	3292	3712	2782	2920	2557	2949
Chester	8086	6310				
Clarion	2727	3088	1836	2550	1776	2609
Clearfield	3915	3425				
Clinton	2018	2622				
Columbia	2910	3526				
Crawford	5931	6474				
Cumberland	4176	4614				
Dauphin	5250	5111	5104	3466	5219	3323
Delaware	4439	2638				
Elk	628	1193				
Erie	7367	5279				
Fayette	3504	4631				
Forest	218	159				
Franklin	4302	4182				
Fulton	707	1125				
Greene	2705	2440				
Huntingdon	3249	2696				
Indiana	4276	3911				
Jefferson	2407	2247				
Juniata	1592	1739				
Lancaster	17171	9446	8368	4737	1935	4389
Lawrence	3428	1705				
Lebanon	3705	2265				
Lehigh	5335	6395	3874	4666	7024	4661
Luzerne	12341	11433				
Lycoming	4630	3940				
M'Kean	1025	850				
Mercer	5055	4202	1851	3050	3716	3154
Mifflin	1746	1785				
Monroe	1403	1463				
Montgomery	8494	8803	6807	7156	6866	7069
Montour	1278	1623				
Northampton	4035	4035				
Northumber'nd	4314	4363	3307	3421	3273	3434
Perry	2722	2705				
Philadelphia	67678	43841	51607	42731	59677	34266
Pike	246	1154				
Potter	1466	1107				
Schuylkill	8980	9577	6684	7911	6708	7817
Snyder	1016	1057				
Somerset	3430	1892				
Sullivan	431	744				
Susquehanna	3053	2676				
Tioga	3504	2979				
Union	2092	1777				
Venango	3071	4415	2429	2224	2387	2293
Warren	2978	2454				
Washington	8230	4902				
Wayne	2119	3030				
Westmoreland	6581	6276				
Wyoming	1560	1791				
York	6888	6273				
Total	332382	317760				
Majority	14622					

Official and Reported Majorities.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.—The returns from Washington county show the following majorities:—For State Treasurer, Hutchinson, Democrat, 8; for Supreme Judge, Gordon, Republican, 180; Sheriff, Thompson, Democrat, 20; Treasurer, French, Republican, 90; Commissioner, Mc Cleary, Republican, 104; Director of the Poor, Bower; Democrat, 36. The following is the official vote for Assembly:—Allison, Republican, 4,065; Campbell, 4,206; McKee, Republican, 4,214; Cross, Republican; 4,199; Archer, Republican, 3,947; Barrett, Democrat, 4,142; Chesney, 4,000; Lusk, 3,900. The following are majorities:—Supreme Judge, Gordon, 180; State Treasurer, Hutchinson, 8.

FAYETTE COUNTY.—The following are the official majorities in Fayette county: Hutchinson, 354; Ludlow, 3611; Gordon, for Judge, 2,637; Thompson, Republican, for Assembly, 1,031; McDonald, Democrat, for County Treasurer, 96; Reed, Republican, for County Commissioner, 139; McCullough, Democrat, for County Auditor, 2,822; Searight, Democrat, for Poor Director, 2,851.

BEAVER COUNTY.—Gordon's official majority in Beaver county is 615; Mackey's, 478. The Legislative ticket is about the same as Judge Gordon.

CRAWFORD COUNTY.—The result of the official count of Crawford county is as follows. Anderson has a majority of 123 over Gill; Davis has a majority of 825 over Beatty; Chase has a majority of 780 over Putnam; Oliver leads Neil 29 votes; Bates receives 422 votes more than Smith, and Stebbins is elected by 101 majority over Davis.

ARMSTRONG COUNTY.—Armstrong county, official, gives Gordon 226 and Mackey 271 majority; Thompson, for Assembly, 103. The Democrats elect Boyd Sheriff by 24 majority.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.—Jefferson county, official, gives the following majorities: Mackey, 335; Gordon, 532; Barrett, for Assembly, 271.

GREENE COUNTY.—Ludlow's majority in Greene county, official, is 1,182, and one township not in; probably 1,250.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY.—The official majority for Ludlow is 793; for Hutchinson, 912. Potter, Independent Democrat, for Assembly, has 150 majority over Boyer, regular Democrat.

ERIE COUNTY.—The official returns give the State ticket about 1,000 majority. Hyner, Republican, is elected Sheriff, after a most desperate fight.

SOMERSET COUNTY.—Somerset county, official, majority on State ticket, 1,181. McMillen, for the Legislature, has 1.

SNYDER COUNTY.—Snyder county gives Wagonseller 1,019 majority for Senator, and Dill is elected by from 100 to 300 majority.

BUTLER COUNTY.—Gordon's majority is 449; and Mackey's 383.

MERCER COUNTY.—The whole Republican ticket was elected in Mercer county, with the exception of Mr. Barker for Assembly, who was defeated by Editor Shanahan, by a majority of 485. Powell, for Treasurer, has a majority of 767; Robinson, for Commissioner, 85; Perry, for Auditor, 760; Gamble, for Jury Commissioner, 713.

Members of the Legislature.

The following named gentlemen will constitute the next Leislature. It will be observed that the Republicans have sound working majorities in both branches. Those chosen at the recent election are marked with a star [*]:

SENATE.

Philadelphia—James B. Alexander, R.; E. W. Davis, R.; *John Lamon, R.; A. K. M'Clure, Lib. Rep.

Chester and Delaware—*T. V. Cooper, R. Montgomery—*Wm. A. Yeakle, R.

Bucks and Northampton—*Herman Yerkes, D.

Berks—*Daniel Ermentrout, D.

Lancaster—John B. Warfel, R.

Schuylkill—*Henry C. Bechtel, D.

Lehigh and Carbon—*E. Albright, D.

Dauphin and Lebanon—J. G. Hellman, R.

Luzerne, Monroe and Pike—Francis D. Colin, D.; George H. Rowland, D.

Bradford, &c.—*Jesse Lynch Fitch, R.

Columbia, &c.—Thos. Chalfant, D.

Cameron, &c.—Butler B. Strang, R.

Snyder, &c.—*Andrew H. Dill, D.—probable.

Clearfield, &c.—Wm. A. Wallace, D.

Cumberland, &c.—Jas. M. Weakley, R.

Adams and York—W. M'Sherry, D.

Bedford, Blair, &c.—John A. Lemon, R.

Centre, Juniata, &c.—*J. S. Waream, D.

Allegheny—James L. Graham, R.; Miles S. Humphreys, R.; George H. Anderson, R.

Indiana, Jefferson, Armstrong, Butler, Fayette and Greene—W. H. Playford, D.

Beaver, &c.—James S. Rutan, R.

Clarion, &c.—David Mackay, R.

Lawrence, &c.—Samuel M'Kinley, R.

Crawford—*George K. Anderson, R.

Erie and Warren—Geo. H. Cutler, R.

Republicans, 20; Democrats, 12; Liberal Republican, 1; Republican majority, 7.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Adams—William S. Hildebrand, D.

Allegheny—H. M'Cormick, R.; S. J. Walnwright, R.; J. C. Newmyer, R.; A. B. Young, R.; A. C. Hays, R.; B. C. Christy, R.; Henry Gerwig, R.

Armstrong—J. K. Park, D.

Beaver, Butler and Washington—S. J. Cross, R.; J. Allison, R.; A. L. Campbell, R.; David M'Kee, R.

Bedford and Fulton—J. M. Reynolds, D.

Berks—Michael M'Cullough, D.; Benj. E. Dry, D.; Dr. A. Smith, D.

Blair—S. R. M'Cune, R.

Bradford—E. R. Myer, R.; Jas. H. Webb, R.

Bucks—G. E. Hageman, D.; J. M. Jamison, D.

Cambria—Samuel Henry, R.

Cameron, Elk and Jefferson—D. P. Baird, D.

Carbon and Monroe—E. C. Dimmick, D.

Centre—John H. Orvis, D.

Chester—E. W. Bailey, R.* Peter G. Cary, R.

Clarion and Forest—M. Williams, D.

Clearfield——Potter, Independent, Democrat.

Clinton, Lycoming and Sullivan—Richard Bedford, D., H. W. Petriken, D.

Columbia—Charles B. Brockway, D.

Crawford—M. W. Oliver, R.; Fred. Bates, R.

Cumberland—Wm. B. Butler, D.

Dauphin and Perry—J. E. Allen, R., A. Fortenbaugh, R., John H. Shelbley, R.

Delaware—Wm. Cooper Talley, D.

Erie—E. E. Wilcox, R., Henry Butterfield, R.

Fayette—Jasper M. Thompson, R.

Franklin—George W. Welsh, D.

Greene—Republican elected.

Huntingdon—W. K. Burchinell, R.

Indiana—Daniel Ramey, R.

Juniata and Mifflin—H. P. Taylor, D.

Lancaster—H. A. Mylin, R., H. H. Tshudy, R., J. L. Shuman, R.

Lawrence—E. S. N. Morgan, R.

Lebanon—W. M. Kaufman, R.

Lehigh—Robert Steckel, R., Jas. Kimmel, D.

Luzerne—Dr. B. H. Throop, R., Michael Cregan, D., Thomas Waddell, R., T. W. Loftus, D.

Mercer—James A. Stranahan, D.

Montgomery—Thomas G. Butler, D.; Joseph B. Yerkes, D.

Northumberland and Moultour—A. T. DeWitt, D.

Philadelphia—G. Handy Smith, R.; Geo. W. Shaffer, R.; Samuel Josephs, Ind. D.; Harry O'Neill, R.; James A. O'Brien, R.; Charles A. Porter, R.; John M'Cullough, R.; John E. Reyburn, R.; Wm. H. Vogdes, R.; Albert Crawford, D.; Washington M. Worrall, R.; Joseph R. Ash, R.; John N. Wood, R.; Wm. J. Roney, ——; Robert Gillespie, R.; J. Wm. Jones, R.; Chas. B. Salter, R.; James Newell, R.

Potter and McKean—Chas. S. Jones, R.

Schuylkill—Thos. Egan, D.; Fred. L. Foster, D.; John W. Morgan, R.

Snyder and Union—Chas. S. Wolfe, R.

Somerset—J. R. M'Mullin, R.

Susquehanna and Wyoming—H. M. Jones, R.

Tioga—John I. Mitchell, R.

Venango—R. D. M'Creary, R.

Warren—Geo. W. Allen, R.

Westmoreland—H. B. Piper, D.; J. L. Toner, D.

Republicans.....62
Democrats.....36
Independent Democrats.....2
Republican majority.....24

SECOND EDITION.

Four O'Clock.

FOREIGN.

Protest Against the Restoration of Royalty in France.

PROMISES OF THE MONARCHISTS.

Trial of Marshal Bazaine for Surrendering Metz.

REVOLUTION IN PANAMA.

United States Sailors Guarding Trains Across the Isthmus.

FRANCE.

Protest Against the Restoration of Royalty.

PARIS, October 18.—Eighteen Deputies in the Assembly from the Department of the Seine have signed a manifesto protesting against the attempted restoration of royalty, and declaring that they will energetically resist all such schemes.

Trial of Marshal Bazaine.

VERSAILLES, October 18.—The trial of Marshal Bazaine was resumed to-day. In reply to an inquiry why he did not destroy the forts and war material before surrendering to the Germans, the Marshal said he feared the enemy would take revenge, and, besides, the laws would have been too great. The Duke D'Aumale, President of the Court, asked what greater rigor could the enemy have shown than was imposed.

Bazaine, evading the question, answered that such destruction was unexampled, and he thought Metz would revert to the French.

In reply to other questions in relation to the flags, the Marshal maintained that he publicly and distinctly ordered them to be destroyed. His orders were to have them all brought to the arsenal for immediate destruction.

This concluded the examination of the Marshal by the President. The Marshal afterwards made a statement, complaining of his book on Metz being treated as a justificatory memoir, when the truth was that it had been written from memory only, without consulting documents.

The Governmental Commissary interrogated him as to his knowledge of his wife's whereabouts, and asked him how he knew her address in September was at Tours. Bazaine answered that he ascertained it from a German newspaper and subsequently from a German officer.

The Programme of the Monarchists.

LONDON, October 18.—A report issued by the Monarchial Bureau of the French Assembly of negotiations with the Comte de Chambord has been received. It states the statements of concessions made by the Count contained in the dispatch from Paris published in the London *Times* of this morning.

A dispatch reporting the agreement between the Count de Chambord and the Monarchial parties in the Assembly, gives the following additional points of the programme to be proclaimed at the opening of the session: The eligibility of all persons to civil employment, universal suffrage, reasonable liberty to the press, and the tri-color flag to be maintained as the flag of France. This last point, however, is open to mutual concessions. The dispatch also says the Assembly is called to meet not later than the 27th inst.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

The Revolution in Panama.

PANAMA, October 8.—Hostilities have broken out between General Neira, the President, and General Correneo, who was entirely deposed from that office on the 24th ult., the rebels having emerged from the woods and opened fire on this city, which they kept up with a slight intermission till the 6th inst., when they retired to the woods. They were armed with rifles. The Government troops had the advantage of cannon, and did considerable damage to suburban dwellings. While the firing was going on Admiral Almy, of the United States navy, arrived, and landed one hundred and fifty men at the railroad station, and, at the request of the Government, placed sixty men in the city square. The Government having ordered all trains approaching the city to stop, and the passengers to be searched. Admiral Almy placed a guard of United States marines on the trains, with orders to shoot down all armed men who should attempt any interference, thus relieving the passengers of annoyance and interruption. The troops assigned by the Government of Colombia to protect trains across the isthmus have joined the rebels.

A Constituent Assembly is in session, endeavoring to make peace, but those in arms outside the city do not recognize its authority, and have ordered a forced loan of twenty thousand dollars on the city and forty thousand on the provinces. It is hoped Admiral Almy will continue to give his protection to non-combatants, and that the United States and Colombian authorities will come to an understanding whereby a repetition of the outrages may be prevented.

SOUTH AMERICA.

A Girl Murdered by a Judge.

NEW YORK, October 18.—A letter from Rio Janeiro gives the particulars of the murder, in Maranham, of a young girl by Judge Pontes Visqueiro, aged sixty-five. The Judge, it seems, was infatuated by the girl, who was only sixteen years of age; and proving unfaithful to him, as he thought, he became greatly enraged, but left the place for a year, that he might forget her. On returning, accompanied by a man employed to assist in the murder, he entered the girl's rooms, and as she entered she was seized by the accomplice, who choked and gagged her. The Judge then compelled her to inhale chloroform, when she fell insensible. He stabbed her repeatedly, and almost severed the head from the body, and bit her savagely in his rage. Some time before the Judge provided himself with zinc lining for a traveling case, and into this case the body, all broken, was forced, and the cover carefully soldered down. In a day or two the girl was missed, when the Judge's house was searched by the police, and in a garden in the rear of the premises the body was found interred. Four persons, supposed to have been concerned in the horrible affair, were arrested, but the Judge, owing to his exalted station, could only be placed under surveillance at the time.

SPAIN.

Gen. Sickles Presented with a Sword.

MADRID, October 18.—The Minister of War to-day presented General Sickles, United States Minister, with a sword made expressly for him in Toledo. The hilt is ornamented with the arms of the United States, and on the blade is inscribed the names of the battles in which Gen. Sickles was distinguished.

Complaints Against a French Consul.

The Spanish Government has made complaint to the Government of France that the French Consul in Cartagena afforded protection to insurgents. A reply has been received promising inquiry into the matter.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Rate of Discount.

LONDON, October 18.—The Bank of England has fixed the minimum rate of discount at seven per cent.

Bullion for New York.

Ninety six thousand pounds of bullion was shipped to New York to-day from London and Southampton.

John Bright Re-elected.

LONDON, October 18.—John Bright was to-day re-elected member of Parliament without opposition.

Bullion for Colon.

LONDON, October 18.—£69,000 in bullion were shipped from Southampton to-day for Colon.

DENMARK.

The Folkething Dissolved.

COPENHAGEN, October 18.—The Folkething, having rejected the budget of the Ministry, was dissolved by the King.

YELLOW FEVER.

Montgomery.

MONTGOMERY, October 18.—One death from yellow fever in the past twenty-four hours is reported. The total number of deaths from the disease since it first appeared here on September 19th, is twenty-five.

Little Rock, Ark.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., October 18.—A Memphis cigar and tobacco merchant, a Polander, died here this morning from what was pronounced yellow fever. He left his home a few days ago to escape the epide

Pine Bluff, Ark.

LITTLE ROCK, October 18.—A dispatch from Pine Bluff announces the death from yellow fever of Gen. Sam. Mallaroy and Col. Arthur Hemingway, both connected with the L. R. & B. railway. They contracted the disease at Chicot, a few days since. Both were former members of the State Senate. The Board of Health report officially that there is no yellow fever in this city.

Relief for the Sufferers.

NEW YORK, October 18.—The Stock Exchange has contributed $1,210 for the relief of the yellow fever sufferers, and the Produce Exchange reports subscriptions amounting to $1,100.

Marine News.

LIVERPOOL, October 18.—The steamship Russia, from New York, and Braunschweig, from Baltimore, have arrived out.

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WASHINGTON, October 18, 1873.

Legal Tenders Outstanding.

The outstanding legal tenders amount to $359,866,488.

More Room Needed in the Treasury Building.

Supervising Architect Mullet, in a report to Secretary Richardson in regard to the increased accommodations needed in the Treasury Department, says: "I see no means of providing additional accommodations to any offices of this department unless arrangements can be made to remove some bureau or division of clerks, the building being at present inadequate in size for the proper transaction of its business. The rebuilding of the old portion would add very materially to the size of the building, and give an increase of accomodation in the wings one-third beyond the present capacity."

Estimates for the Fiscal Year.

The estimate of General Babcock, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874, amount to $829,042, of which $55,956 is for salaries, and $40,000 for repairing and refurnishing the Executive Mansion, continuing the improvement to the green house, etc.

Ku-Klux Pardoned.

The President to-day, on the recommendation of Attorney General Williams, pardoned Joseph Luckey, of South Carolina, convicted of Ku-Kluxism about two years ago, and sentenced to eight years in the Albany penitentiary.

Internal Revenue Receipts.

The Internal revenue receipts to-day were $201,355; for the month, $3,998,952; for the fiscal year, $36,169,930.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—For some reason work on the Eastern & Amboy Railroad will be discontinued.

—One man was killed and four others fatally injured by the premature explosion of a blast near Bangor, Maine last Friday.

—Owing to the present condition of financial affairs, the Ivanhoe Paper Mill of Paterson, N. J., has been closed, and one hundred and twenty-five persons thus thrown out of work.

—Abraham Post's house at Catskill, N. Y., was entered last Friday night, by six men, who bound the family and robbed the house of a considerable amount of money, bonds and silverware.

—Mr. Williamson, United States Minister to Central America, presented his credentials to the President of Guatemala on the 9th ult., and was favorably received. Williamson will reside in the

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GOLD closed in New York Saturday at 107¾@108.

THE several parties of Monarchists in France have harmonized their differences, and now claim a majority for their measures.

THE Emperor William seems to have been favored with a cordial reception at Vienna, by the masses of the people, as well as the nobility.

THE expenses of the Pennsylvania Constitutional Convention up to the first of November will amount to $475,000, leaving a balance of $25,000 of the half million dollars appropriated.

THE Railroad Article was further considered in the Constitutional Convention on Friday, during which much earnest discussion took place; several amendments were adopted, after which it was referred to a special committee of seven for revision.

THE enlargement of the currency volume, either by free banking or the issue of an increased volume of currency under existing restrictions, is very generally agitated by the press. The guarantee, by the Government, of the safety of the currency, as is the case now, is insisted upon, whatever new features of policy may be developed.

THE Wheeling and Lake Erie Railroad is now believed to be a success. From Wheeling for nearly one hundred miles the road passes through the finest coal beds in the country, the strata of fifty miles of which lies high enough to run directly into the cars. The road also passes through valuable regions of iron ore, and the whole line of the road is along fertile agricultural districts.

COMMANDER BELKNAP, of the Pacific exploring expedition, reports to the Bureau of Navigation, in reference to the survey for the Pacific telegraph cable, that the soundings were "very favorable from the Aleutian Islands to Victoria, increasing gradually in depth to 2,520 fathoms in latitude 54 north and longitude 153 west, a distance of 1,100 miles." This entirely establishes the feasibility of laying the cable, and thus giving us direct communication with Japan and China.

THE Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company are engaged in serious controversy with Secretary Richardson, because of the seizure of one of their boats, for not paying the "alien tax" for trading in navigable waters. It is claimed that the law is null and void, as so construed, and has been declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court. The complainants aver that the Secretary of the Treasury has committed a high misdemeanor in office by arbitrarily ordering his subordinates in office to disregard the decrees of the Supreme Court and enforce the collection of the tax; and they say they are ready to maintain their charges before a high court of impeachment. The Secretary denies having ordered the seizure. The error was committed in his absence by the acting Secretary—but it is unfortunate that it should have occurred.

A CORRESPONDENT in the New York *Times* urges resumption, and puts the total amount of gold in the country, at $150,000,000, with the prospect of $50,000,000 being added within the year, by coinage. His more valuable showing is, that we have exported, during the last seven years, over $400,000,000 of gold. Here is the exact secret of the business. So long as the balance of trade is against us, requiring the export of at least $50,000,000 of gold a year, we cannot have specie payments, because, even if the value of gold did not fluctuate the supply would. The balance of trade is now in our favor, and gold approaches the value of currency. Let this continue, and become a permanent, undoubted fact, and we need no arguments, or laws, or efforts. The resumption of specie payments will be as easy and natural, to use the famous illustrations of a venturesome boy, as "rolling off a log."

WE made a brief general reference Saturday to the letter of Mr. Brunot, published in that issue. We may now say, that the tenor of the reports, upon which our previous remarks were based, led us to think that his views were obtruded upon the Alliance; whereas, his explanation shows that they were properly in order. Mr. Brunot's explanation is entirely satisfactory to us, and is very different from the report received by telegraph,—in that he was made to reflect, by implication, at least, on the absence of the recognition of the Deity in our national Constitution, whereas he explains that his remark that "he blushed for the Constitution," was made in connection with a remark of Dr. Woolsey, "that the Constitution would suit equally well for a Mohammedan as a Christian nation." We are not surprised at Mr. Brunot's response, and regard it as entirely right and proper. It affords us pleasure to have the occurrence so satisfactorily explained.

THE New Jersey Constitutional Convention has adopted an amendment enabling the Governor to veto separate items in an incidental bill without defeating the whole. An amendment was also adopted disqualifying a member of Congress or Federal office holder from occupying the Gubernatorial chair, and forbidding the election of a Governor to the United States Senate, or his acceptance of any Federal appointment during his incumbency. The first and last of these amendments are of great practical importance. The bane of our incidental bills has been the incorporation, among items of acknowledged justice and merit, other items that are outrageously wrong. Yet the Governor must veto the entire bill, or permit the improper items to be paid. The other refers to the danger of Governors making use of their official influence to control for themselves a Senatorial election. The evil has not, practically, amounted to very much in the East, but at the West and South it has been the source of flagrant corruption, at times. These amendments fit to be made.

SINGULAR MOVEMENT.

A VERY singular religious movement has just developed in Russia, which from its similarity to other operations in the several countries of the Old World, is worthy of mention. It first appeared in the form of a memorial, drawn up by some of the most eminent ecclesiastics of Russia, and addressed to the Government, setting forth a plan for the establishment of a Roman Catholic National Church in that country. It declares that there is in Russia nearly three millions of people of Polish origin subject to the most influence of Catholic priests who are hostile to the Russian Government and religion. Instead of dealing summarily with this, it proposes that "a period of transition" should be devoted to "the systematic, spontaneous, and gradual extirpation of Roman Catholic terrorism," and to establish foundations for the ultimate fusion of the two Churches into a single Catholic Sclavonic Church. All those who refuse to accept this union it recommends should be treated as foreigners and ordered to leave the country. A Catholic Synod should then be appointed to recognize the religious affairs of the Roman Catholics of the Empire, and also a special Council, composed of laymen and ecclesiastics, to arrange the details of such reorganization. This Synod would recognize the Pope as the spiritual head of the Church, but would not permit him to interfere in its affairs, or to confirm appointments of Bishops, which power would be invested in the Emperor.

GERMAN POLITICAL CHURCH.

We have followed the several phases of the Old Catholic movement in Germany, less because of its ecclesiastical, than its political peculiarities. There are two interesting circumstances, of recent development, which are worthy of notice, as indicating, the one the promise of permanency which attaches to the Church, and the other as sowing an element of discord, that may produce schism. The first circumstance is the recognition by the German Government, of the new organization. This is more than the merely formal acknowledgment of the claims of the Old Catholics, although the German Government has been careful to confine the expression of its approval to this limit. The Government merely holds that the Old Catholics must be treated as members of the Catholic Church, as this has been and is recognized by the Prussian Government in the Constitution and the laws. They adhere to the doctrines and usages of the Catholic Church as these were when the Constitution of Prussia was adopted in 1850, and as these continued to be down to July 18, 1870. To refuse now to recognize them as genuine Catholics because they will not accept the decrees of the Vatican Council, would be for the Prussian Government to decide, that to be a Catholic one must believe in the infallibility of the Pope, and acknowledge his episcopate to be universal; in short, must admit his claim to be above all kings and emperors, all constitutions, governments and laws. It is further argued, that to cease to regard the Old Catholics as genuine members of the Catholic Church, because they have been excommunicated by the Pope, would be for the Government to treat as fundamental articles of the Catholic faith dogmas of papal supremacy hitherto unknown, and which would go to subvert the authority of the State over its own subjects. To do this would be suicidal. Hence it is inferred that if any members of the Catholic Church should be treated as non-Catholic, apostate and excommunicate, these should be not the Old Catholics, but those who have followed the Pope in his extravagant assumptions against the authority of the Church, and the peace and order of society.

But it is evident that behind this proclamation, or definition of the *status* of the Government, is another understanding, and one that looks to controlling and strengthening the new Church in order to use it as a power in the struggle with the Pope. The German Emperor has a large number of Catholic subjects. Bismarck at least is shrewd enough to see that it is dangerous to absolutely antagonize them, and unwise to even estrange them in sentiment. History is full of illustrations of dynasties overthrown by the use of the spiritual power of the Pope. Hence the necessity of doing something to retain the cordial allegiance of those of the Catholic faith, and at the same time of making of them an element of support in the controversy with the Pope. The State has been shrewd and crafty in developing this policy. But Dr. Volk, of Augsburg, a member of the German Parliament, proclaimed this idea openly, at the recent conference of Old Catholics at Constance, Switzerland. He addressed the Conference as if he was making a speech to his constituents. He sought to identify the Old Catholic movement with German unity and progress, and characterized it as a war for home against the foreigner, a conflict between *Deutschthum* and *Welschthum*—a term which, more than once in German history and literature, has been specifically applied to the French.

The effect of this declaration of Dr. Volk was to develop an excitement and division among the members present that constitutes the discord which we have spoken of as the circumstance that bodes danger to the movement. Pressense and Hyacinthe were present, and these, accepting Volk's utterance as a reflection on them, or an indication that the Old Catholic movement was to be used to antagonize France, left the Conference in a flush of indignant patriotism. That they misapprehended Dr. Volk's meaning is entirely probable; and yet, that affairs may justify their feeling is entirely possible. At the present, the Old Catholic movement does not antagonize France; but still, in Germany, it has received favor from the Government, for which it is naturally grateful. If this explanation is made, no trouble need be experienced in harmonizing its members, including Pressense and Hyacinthe. Yet it cannot be overlooked that it is among the possibilities that events may happen which will carry the political antagonisms between Germany and France into the Catholic Church—Old and Romanish.

Count Chambord is the representative of the Jesuit party in France. He is very much controlled by the Pope. His success in securing the throne may not only intensify the antagonism of France and Germany, but must of necessity carry this antagonism into the Church. His success will give moral strength, if not material advantage to the Pope. If he is able to develop enough power, he will seek to restore to the Pope his temporal power. But the interests of Germany, and probably her agreements with Italy, lead her to prefer that the Pope should not be more than a spiritual Prince. But above all, she prefers that France should not soon be in a position to revenge the shame and loss of the recent war. Consequently, her interests are all in the line of strengthening and supporting the Old Catholics. But Pressense and Hyacinthe have the same interest. The success of the Chambord movement means also the success of the Pope. Hence even while they are Frenchmen they cannot desire the success of political movements, which mean the oppression and destruction of the Old Catholic movement. Thus while we see danger in the disagreements developed, we see promise in the identity of interests.

Evils of Sleeping Together.

A gentleman who lives in Danbury, recently read an article setting forth the evils of two persons sleeping together. He became so impressed with the truth of the argument, that he proposed to his wife that they sleep in separate beds, and she acquiesced. The experiment was put in practice that night. About two o'clock in the morning the lady was awakened by some one stealing softly into her bed, and on uttering a scream, was greatly relieved to find that it was her husband. It had turned off cold in the night, and he had concluded that if he had to die anyway, he might as well go off quietly with a nervous attack, as to be frozen dead in a grotesque attitude.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

MISS AGNES ETHEL, a favorite actress, has been married to Francis W. Tracy, of Buffalo.

A FARMER named Herman Faron, from the town of Whiteford, Mich., walked off the dock into Swan Creek, in Toledo, O., on Saturday and was drowned.

A SHANTY occupied by a family named Kelly was destroyed by fire in Toledo, O., on Saturday morning, and Kelly, his wife and a grandchild perished in the flames.

TIMOTHY B. SNOW, a clerk in the Westfield, (Mass.) post office has been arrested and confessed to stealing registered letters from the Western mail, which occasionally remains over night Westfield post office.

AMATEUR sportsmen would do well to observe the following rules: When there is a cap on the nipple never let the hammer rest upon it, but keep the piece at half cock. Never seize the gun by the muzzle, or stand with the hands resting upon it. Lastly, never allow the gun to point toward your companions or yourself. If these rules are followed, possibility of accidents will be reduced to a minimum.

MOSES ROY was badly carved by Jim Stewart with a razor, in a row immediately outside of the Colored Baptist church, last Friday night. Jim provoked a quarrel out of Mose, and then cut him with a razor twice across the breast, twice in the arm and once in the face. Jim immediately made his escape, and was captured at Huntington on Saturday and brought to our city on last Monday for trial.—*Charleston (W. Va.) Journal.*

IF ignorance is bliss, there must have been an uncommon amount of happiness experienced in the Nisi Prius Court, at Liverpool, during the trial of a case a few days before the close of the assizes. "The case," says the Liverpool *Post*, "had proceeded for about two hours when his lordship, observing some signs of mystification among the jury, asked them if they understood the case, to which they replied that they did not in the least degree. His lordship said he must candidly confess he did not either. He had honestly tried to understand the case, but had not succeeded at all, and was completely in the dark as to what it was about."

THE Mixed Claims Commission now sitting at the national capital, in pursuance of certain provisions of the Treaty of Washington, after taking in an immense mass of testimony on both sides, has rejected all the claims brought against the Government for losses of cotton destroyed in the burning of Columbia, S. C., during our late civil war. Of course this means that as it is proved that the city was not fired by the United States Army the United States Government cannot be held responsible for the consequences. This officially, then, settles the question as to which party fired Columbia.

GENERAL BAKER, Commissioner of Pensions, has issued an order for the preparation of a grand roll of pensioners, which shall begin with the Revolutionary period and embrace all pensioners, under all acts of Congress, from the beginning of the Government to the present time, and in which the names shall be given alphabetically arranged, together with the service, date, the disability, the rate of changes, if any, in the pension, and the final discontinuance of the same by death or other causes. The pension roll has heretofore been kept by the rolls of agencies and by the number of the certificate. Requisition has been made for the necessary books, and, with the limited force able to engage in the work, it will take about two years to complete it.

THE immigration movement is one that is always watched with interest, especially the relative numbers of our new-comers who arrive from the British Islands and Germany. During the year ending June 30, 1873, the British Islands sent us 166,843 emigrants, and Germany 149,671. Compared with the previous year this was an increase of 13,817 from the former, and 5,562 from the latter. Formerly Ireland sent by far the largest numbers of any single country, but during the year just closed, England has been in close competition with her, Ireland having sent us 77,344 emigrants and England 74,818, only 2,526 less than Ireland. During the previous year over one thousand more English than Irish emigrants arrived in this country.

A RIB of a fossil whale has been found in Anne Arundel county, Md., imbedded two hundred feet below the average level of the surrounding country. This curiosity has been secured by Dr. John F. King, of Baltimore, who gives the following theory of the "why and wherefore" of it happening there: This skeleton was deposited when the continent was submerged, at a period when the Allegheny Mountains were hidden by the sea, and ages before the Eastern Shore of Maryland became dryland; in fact, when the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans mingled their waters and rolled uninterruptedly across the American Continent. It was deposited long before any quadrupedal animal or man appeared upon the earth—ages before Adam lived.

NOT only are the Mennonites migrating from southern Russia to the United States, but the Russian members of the Reformed Church also, whose doctrinal symbol is the Heidelberg Catechism. Like the Mennonites, they are of German stock, and come to us for the enjoyment of greater religious freedom. A colony of six hundred and forty three of these German Russians arrived recently at New York. They were under the leadership of Mr. Grosshaus, who is described as "a venerable, long bearded patriarch." They were met at the Castle Garden by the German Reformed pastor from Rochester, New York, and began their life in the new world by a service of prayer. They have purchased land and settled near Omaha. Another colony from Russia of members of the same faith has set led in Dakota.

PERSONAL.

H. CLAY HARPER, the lunatic, who makes the offer to bet $5,000 that Grant will be assassinated, may live in St. Louis, says the *Democrat*, but his name is not to be found in the directory.

COLONEL JOHN A. BRIDGELAND, of Indiana, who has just received the appointment of United States Consul at Havre, was, before the war, the largest and most successful tobacco merchant in the Northwest. At the breaking out of the war he assisted in organizing seven batteries of artillery, also raised the First and Second Indian cavalry in a very short time.

RUPTURE.

There are hundreds of people ruptured who don't know what ails them; there are others who don't know what to do for it, nor where to seek for relief or a cure; others again who have had rupture for years, under the false notion that there can be no danger in the future, as there has been none in the past. This is a fatal delusion, and there is no knowing what day the rupture may become strangulated, and call for a painful and dangerous surgical operation. To avoid so fearful a result, make application to some competent person to have a truss applied. Will a truss cure me, you may ask. Very often it will, but it will always retain the parts so as to make you secure and safe from danger, and at a cost so trifling as to be hardly worth mentioning when compared with the enormous risk you run in letting it alone. Dr. Keyser, at his office, 167 Liberty street, is provided with every appliance suitable to the retention and cure of this terrible evil. He has trusses at a price as low as can be obtained anywhere in the country, and in every variety and quality—of each vast variety, that the most difficult and long standing cases, of years duration, are made manageable and brought within the province of cure. Let no one deceive themselves into the belief that rupture is never curable; but worst than all, let none consent to "let alone" cure.

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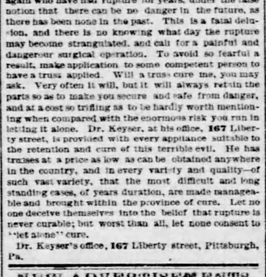

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A new and splendid quality of this valuable Preparation will be found at
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BY JOHN D. WILSON.

One per cent., five per cent.,
Ten per cent., downward,
Into the Stock Exchange
Rushed the six hundred.
No time to reason why,
No time to make reply,
Sell! sell! the only cry!
Into the Stock Exchange
Rushed the six hundred.

Brokers to right of them,
Brokers to left of them,
Brokers in front of them
Bellowed and thundered.
Bulls could not stem the tide,
Bears could not run or hide,
Few laughed, but many cried
Into the Stock Exchange
Rushed the six hundred.

Oh! what a sight was there!
Arms lifted high in air,
Tearing each other's hair—
Outsiders wondered!
Nothing would do but sell—
Lower the market fell,
"Who can this tempest quell!"
Half of them thundered.
Out of the Stock Exchange
Rushed the six hundred.

"Shut up the doors!" the cry—
"Stop not to reason why!
Banks will not certify;
Some one has blundered!
Ruined those who planned the raid,
Ruined those whom fortune made,
Ruined henceforth our trade!
All have been plundered!
Save us from want and care!"
Cried the six hundred.

Closed were the doors that day
Closed on that fearful fray,
Closed on that Saturday,
When some one blundered.
May it this lesson teach—
"Go not beyond your reach!"
When all this motto preach
Friends are not sundered.
Back to the Stock Exchange
Come ye six hundred!
N. Y. Stock Exchange, Oct. 4.

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1873. FALL. 1873.
NEW GOODS
JUST OPENED
All the New Shades in
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We are showing a new and carefully selected stock of Desirable
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Serges, Camel's Hair Cloth and Poplins
In all the new autumn shades.
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In great variety at
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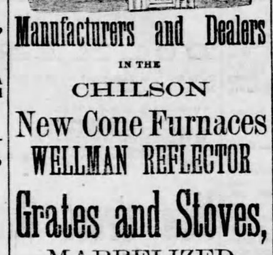

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Unusual Bargains,
All Wool, Large Size, $1.50.
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Blankets, Blankets.
White and colored—all kinds—cheap.
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Plain, Twilled and Country Barred—yard wide, 25c.
Comfortables,
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Very Low Prices.
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Blue, Green, Brown, Gold and Black, Domestic and Imported—at way down prices.
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All colors—choice shades.
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At 25c, 30c, 37½c, 50c and 75c.
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At 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c and 45c.
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Manufactured expressly for our sales, at very low prices.
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At $2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50 and 5.00, all good bargains.
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For Men's and Boys' wear, at 50c, 60, 75c, $2.00, $1.00 and $1.25.
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10,000 Heavy Striped Bags.
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NEW DRESS GOODS,
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NEW Remarkable Bargains,
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New Dress Goods,
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Bronze Shades,
Of all kinds of
New Fall Fabrics.
New Satines,
New Cashmeres,
New Merinos,
New Poplins,
New Alpacas,
New Repps,
New Serges,
New Mohairs,
New Black Silks,
New Colored Silks,
New Mixed Goods,
New Suitings,
In every fabric at our usual
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Stock constantly replenished with all the novelties of the season.
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FOR SALE,
AT AUCTION.
Residence of Charles A. Wood, Esq.,
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With Coachman's Room, Wash Rooms, &c., complete in every detail.
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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, PA., Oct. 16, 1873.
NOTICE—THE ASSESSMENT FOR the Grading, Paving and Curbing of CHARTERS STREET, from Faulkner alley to Western avenue, is now ready for examination, and can be seen in this office until MONDAY, October 27th, 1873, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.
CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.
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ÆTNA,
OF HARTFORD.
Capital, $3,000,000.

Losses Paid in 54 Years, -	$39,000,000 00
Losses Paid in Past 16 Months,	9,000,000 00

ASSETS, MARCH 1, 1873.

Cash in Hand and in Bank	$ 867,783 50
Mortgage Bonds and Real Estate Securities	1,425,055 00
Bank Stock	1,237,050 00
United States, State and City Stock, and other Securities	2,350,978 96
Total	$5,980,867 46

LOSSES ADJUSTED AND PAID BY
S. S. Carrier, Agt.,
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Hats, Bonnets, NEW
Flowers, Plumes, NEW
Pompons, Tips, NEW
Ruching, Belts, NEW
Fringes, Gimps, NEW
Hair Goods. NEW
Jewelry, Notions, NEW
Fancy Goods, NEW
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Ladies' Underwear, NEW
Gloves and Hosiery, NEW
Handkerchiefs, Laces, NEW
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200 Dozen and Upward
Linen Handkerchiefs,
At $2.50 per dozen, direct from Belfast, manufacturers' samples. NEW
Kid Gloves, $1.25.
An Importation of two Buttons splendid quality and finish.
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BOSTON RANGE,
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PORTABLE RANGE
Parlor and Cook Stoves,
Fine and Common Enameled Grate Fronts, Fine and Common Enameled Fenders, Nickel Plated Grate Fronts, Nickel Plated Fenders, Wash House Furniture, Wash House Stoves, Coal Hole Doors.
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a new and wonderful effective Toilet Soap, having no equal in this country or abroad.
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as an article for the Bath. "reaches the foundation" of dirt, opens the pores and gives a healthy action and brilliant tint to the skin.
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Cleanses and Beautifies the Skin, instantly removing any stain or blemish from both hands and face.
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costs 10 to 15 cents per cake, and everybody should have it. You will like it.
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Incorporated by Legislature of Pennsylvania.

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6 Per Cent. per annum upon daily balances—from inactive non-borrowing accounts—payable on demand.
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Special agreements relating to interest made.

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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

There has been a period in the past five years when the financial question has been a matter of so much interest to all classes of the community as the present. Not only banks and bankers, but manufacturers and private individuals all alike discuss the situation and have their views as to the future. There is no reason for this PANIC, and though this assertion may seem strange, yet it is no less true. It may be said that we have been overtrading—that our railway system was being extended too rapidly, beyond the wants of the country—that speculation has been too rampant. But admitting all this, why should the failure of a few railroad or speculative houses frighten everybody and cause them to distrust every one else? There is no reason for it, and all we need to restore our finances, not only here, but throughout the country, to a healthy condition, is for confidence to be restored. Every man who has a dollar in excess of wants which he does not need ought to invest it in some good security which will pay him a good interest. In this way he puts his money in circulation and this way he puts his money in circulation and helps largely to re-establish that confidence so much needed. Let the private hoards of money be brought out and invested, and put in circulation, and our tight money market will soon be eased up. Again we say to such persons, you have money, "Don't hoard it, but invest it at once."

Our local money market is hardly in a condition to be quoted. The banks say they are doing all they can to accommodate their customers by renewing paper and otherwise. They do not, however, discount any outside paper, though we are informed that several of them have during the week discounted quite large amounts of new paper for their customers.

Bank and insurance stocks are very dull, at lower prices than they have been ruling at. Probably as money becomes more easy there will be more inquiry for good stocks.

In the New York market to-day, stocks have been steady all day, the market closing strong at advanced prices. The sudden advance in the past few days will likely be followed next week by a reaction.

Gold opened at 108¼ and closed at 108⅝. The present low price has led some financiers to imagine that specie payments were not far off, but we are inclined to think that happy day is not yet at hand.

Luther S. Kaufman, Banker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Fri'y.	Sat'd'y.	Sold.
Gold	108¼	108⅛	—
6-20 1862	105	105	—
6-20—1864,	105¾	105	—
" 1865	107	107⅛	—
" 1865 new.	110	110	—
" 1867.	111	112	—
" 1868—5-20sopons.	111½	111⅝	—
10-40s	105	103	—
10-40s'—coupons	106¾	106¾	—
Currency 6's	107¾	108¼	—
New 5 per cents	103½	103½	—
RAILWAYS.			
New York Central	87	88¾	
Erie	44¾	45	
R. H. & E.	12	12	
C. C. I. C.	23½	23½	
N. Paul	31¾	31¾	
Do. p eferred	65	65	
Michigan Southern	67¾	68	
Do. Central	70	70	
North Western Common	81¼	82	
Do. preferred	87	87½	
Rock Island	91¾	91¾	
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	93	93	
Pacific Mail	33	33¾	
Western Union Telegraph	90¾	91	
Quicksilver	26¾	26¾	
Ontario & Pacific	19¾	19¾	
Ill. Central	138	138	
Toledo & Wabash	43¾	45	
Fort Wa., 'on	110	109¾	
Harlem	97	97	
Chicago and A. ton	81¾	81	
Adams Express	54	53¾	
American Express	58¾	58¾	
U. S. Express	79¾	79¾	
W. Fargo & Co. Exp.	92	92	
A. C.	103¾	103	
Panama	23	22¾	
Quicksilver	69	69	
Canton	14	14	
Merchants Union Express	24¾	24¾	
Hannibal & St. Joseph	25¾	25¾	
Do. preferred.	38	38¾	

Messrs. Robinson Bros., bankers, No. 7 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day: There is a much better feeling

	Fri'y	Sat'd'y.	Sold.
Penna. Central	46¾	45¾	
Reading	50	45¾	
United Cos. of N. J.	114	114	
Oil Creek	16¾	16¾	
Lehigh Valley	55	56	
Philadelphia & Erie	16	16	
Pittsburgh 5s	72	72	
Central Transportation	32	32	

NEW YORK, October 18, 1873.

Money was comparatively easy to-day, and ranged from 1-16 to 7 per cent., with exception at 4 to 5 per cent. Greenbacks closed at 1-16@⅛ per cent. premium. Foreign exchange was firmer, and bankers advanced their rates to 106¾ for long and 108 for sight. There was an improved demand for sight early in the day, with business at 107¾@107¾, closing at 107¾@108. Sixty days' sterling left off at 106¼@106⅝. Cable transfers sold at 108. Gold advanced to 108¾ in the morning, but finally declined to 108¼, and closed at 108⅛. The rates paid for carrying were 5, 3, 2, 4, 6, 7, and 1-16 per cent. The final rate was 1-16 per cent. The total exports of specie for the week were $336,000, principally silver bars. The general merchandise imports, including dry goods, were $4,918,000, and

produce exports $7,025,771. The Assistant Treasurer paid to-day $47,000 for gold interest. Gold. Clearings $33,060,000. Governments were quiet and steady. State bonds were steady and dull at nominal prices. Speculation was tame to-day and devoid of special feature. The course of prices was irregular early in the day, but the market was in the main weak. At the opening, prices showed a decline of ¼ to 1¾ per cent, as compared with the closing figures of last night, and later there was still a further decline of ¼ to 1 per cent. After one o'clock speculation became strong, and shortly before the close the market showed an advance of 1¼ to 2¾ per cent. from the lowest point of the day, closing dull, but strong. At auction to-day 51,000 shares of Western Union were sold at from 55½ to 55¾.

Governments.—U. S. Coupons 1881, 111; 5-20's of '62, 105; do '64, 105; do '65, 107¾; do '65, new 109¾; do '67, 111¾; do '68 109¾; 10-40s, 106⅝; 10 40s 106; currency 6s 108⅞. Banker's bills, 106¾.

State Bonds.—Missouri, 87¼; Tennessee, old, 70; do new, 70; Virginia new 55; do old, 55; North Carolina old, 20; do new 15.

Stocks.—Canton, 55; Western Union Telegraph Company, 57¾; Quicksilver, 22; Adams Express, 81½; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, 81¼; American Express, 53¾; United States Express, 64; Pacific Mail, 33¾; New York Central, 88¾; Erie, 44¾; do preferred, 60; Harlem, 109½; do preferred, 112; Michigan Central, 70; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 65; Northwestern do, 81¾; Chicago & Rock Island, 91¾; New Jersey Central, 93¾; St. Paul, 31½; do preferred, 55; Wabash, 43¼; do preferred, offered, 70; Fort Wayne, 85; Terre Haute, 85; do preferred, 20; Chicago & Alton, 85; do preferred, 92; Ohio & Mississippi, 26½; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 68; Burlington & Quincy, 85; Lake Shore, 68; Panama, 22; Illinois Central, 92; Union Pacific, 21¾; Central Pacific, 87; Union, 73; Hartford & Erie, 17½; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 82@85.

LONDON, October 18—2 P. M.—Consols: 92¼@92⅝; 5-20s of '65, 93¾; do '67, 96¾; 10-40s, 91¾; new 5s, 91. Erie, 35¾.

PARIS, October 18.—Rentes 58f 45c.

FRANKFORT, October 18.—5-20s '62, 96¾f.

COMMERCIAL.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, October 18, 1873.

The general markets have been more than usually dull this week, the demand for almost every thing seems to be growing less and less, and no improvement need be looked for until money commences to work easier, and this cannot be expected until the banks commence to discount again. As regards values, there have been no recent important changes, but the general tendency is downward; shrinkage is the order of the day. The fact that Coffee, in view of the latest advices from Rio, being very favorable to holders, having declined from 19½ to 2 cents per lb, is a good illustration of this, and it begins to look as if there would be a general shrinkage in everything before the panic of 1873 has entirely subsided.

APPLES—The market continues dull, being considerably overstocked, but prices remain without change, ranging from $1.50@2 per brl. according to quality.

BUTTER—Prime to choice roll is still bringing 22 to 25, but in consequence of the choice article being in fact as in name to bring the outside figure; most dealers quote at 20@23. Low grade butter continues very dull.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—$3.50@4 per bushel.

BEANS—$2.30@3 per bushel.

CHEESE—Prices reported at $5.20 per bushel, although some dealers quote as low as $5.

CHEESE—We can report a continued good jobbing trade, and prices are firm but unchanged; sales at 13¾@14 for August, and 14½@14¾ for September. We notice a further advance in Liverpool, 66s.

CRANBERRIES—Prime to choice Jersey's $10 @12 per brl. Carey quoted at $16.50@17.

EGGS—The receipts, although not large, are sufficient to keep up the supply, and prices are weak but unchanged at 22@23.

FLOUR—Trade continues quiet, and the market is devoid of any single new feature worthy of note; the demand is confined wholly to supplying immediate wants, while prices have undergone no change for several weeks. We quote $7.50 for spring wheat flours, and $7.75@8 for red winter wheat.

GRAIN—The receipts and offerings of wheat continue meagre, but the demand is also meagre and prices remain without quotable change; $1.47 @1.50 for red, $1.55@1.60 for amber, and $1.60 @1.60 for white. Oats steady, with a demand fully equal to the supply, and prices are fully sustained, ranging from 42@45. Rye quiet and nominally. The inquiry for corn continues light, and the market is dull, although prices remain without change. Sales of car lots at 39@40 in elevator. Rye is quiet and unchanged, ranging from 85 to 90—the last sale reported was at 88. Barley is offering more freely than for some time, and is weaker; and according to Fridav's dispatches, there has been a further decline in Chicago.

GRICERIES—Trade in the leading grocery staples continues very light, and until money matters become easier we do not look for any improvement; our merchants, we have no doubt, could easily increase their business largely if they were willing to run in time, but in the present condition of affairs, they prefer selling the goods to increasing their book accounts.

COFFEE—Choice Rio, 18¾@19; good to prime 18@18¼; fair, 17@17½. Roasted one lb. packages 20@22c. Gold.

SUGARS—Patent Cut Loaf, 13¾c; Crushed, Powdered and Granulated, 11¾; Standard A, 11; Extra C, 10¾; C, 10¼; Franklin Ex. C, 10¼. Other Yellow Sugars, 8@10.

SYRUPS—Extra White Drips, 80c; Sugar Drips, 80c; Amber, 65@70; lower grades, 60@65, as to quality.

RICE—Carolina Choice, 9¼; Patna, 8¾; Rangoon, 7¾@8.

MOLASSES—Choice New Orleans, 78@80; Prime 73 to 75.

HONEY—Is selling at 23@25c per lb.

HAY—There is a fair demand for baled, but the supply is fully equal to it and prices remain without change, ranging from $1.50@2 per ton, according to quality.

POTATOES—In good supply and coming in freely, but with steady demand, prices are still pretty well sustained; we continue to quote at 65 to 75c for Peerless, Early Rose and Carters unchanged, at $3.50@4.50 per brl, the outside figure for prime Jerseys.

POULTRY—Live chickens quoted by the coop at 30@35c per pair, according to size.

PEAS—$1.75@2 per bushel.

PROVISIONS—Sugar Cured Hams, 9 lb. 14½c. Ex. Sugar Cured Shoulders, 10¾; Sugar cured Breakfast Bacon, 12½c. Extra Sugar Cured Dried Beef, 16½; Beef tongues, $7.50 ₰ dozen. Bacon Shoulders, per lb, 9½c. Bacon Side Sides, 10½c. Bacon Clear Rib Sides, 11c. Mess Pork, $17.00 per barrel. Refined Lard for summer use, in tres, 9¾. Do, best refined for fall use, in bbls. Do. in 50 lb. cans, 10¼. Do. in 5 lb. tin pails, 11¼. Do in 3 lb. pails, 11¾. Do. in 1 lb. pails, 12¼. Do in 5 lb. pails, 13¾. Ham Sausage, 10.

ONIONS—$4@4.50 ₰ brl.

RAGS—Quoted at 3@3½c.

SALT—Is quoted at $1.60 ₰ brl. by the car load, and $1.85 in a jobbing way.

SEEDS—Timothy seed is scarce and higher; we quote at $2 per bushel. No movement in Clover or Timothy Seed.

SOAP—Quoted at 7¾@8c ₰ lb.

WHISKY—Highwines, 90@93c ₰ gallon.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS, EAST LIBERTY, SATURDAY, October 18, 1873.

RECEIPTS.

Following is the aggregate of the receipts of the different kinds of stock for the week:

Cattle	474 cars
Hogs	312 "
Sheep	61 "
Horses	11 "
Cows	32 "
Total	890 "

CATTLE.

The market was moderately active this week for prime cattle, as the supply of this character was comparatively light, but at a decline of 20 to 25c ₰ cwt. So far as we could learn, there was no change in common cattle, but one car at that; last week the same kind brought from 6 to 6¾. Common cattle were exceedingly dull; dealers all agreed in reporting it as having been the worst market of the season; the bulk of the supply was of this kind, and selling at declining prices consequently below an average, and the decline consequently was greater than for good cattle, ranging from ½ to ¾c. There is a great lack of cattle in the medium and good grades. Sales for butcher cattle and too good for stockers These were harder to dispose of at anything like a reasonable price than any other kind. Philadelphia and New York buyers would not touch them because they were not good enough for their market, and stockers' dealers refused to buy them unless the sellers were willing to take prices current for common stock, as they reported that they had more trouble with this grade than any other kind, as they were, as the saying is, between two fires. Quotations may be fairly given as follows: prime to extra 1.40@5.50 steers, 5¼@5¾c; prime 1.20@1.35, 5¼@5½; 1.10@1.15, 5@5¼; good stock heavy but not fat, 4¾@5; common cows and stags, 3@3½; bulls, 2@2½. The advices both from New York and Buffalo were much more favorable yesterday, but operators generally are very cautious, and unwilling to take any more risk than they can possibly avoid.

HOGS.

The arrivals of hogs were unusually heavy, footing 312 cars for the week. The heaviest run we have had for several months and nearly common in point of quality. As compared with this day week there has been a sharp decline, and to-day's was a slow, dragging affair, most of which there was an over supply, was very dull, while of prime hogs the feeling was firmer, at the same time was equal to the bulk of stuff. Prime Philadelphia hogs may be fairly quoted at 4.65 to 4.75, and Yorkers, same grades, at 4.55 to 4.60. Drovers generally having purchased four cars of nice even 250 Yorkers this forenoon at 4.55. There was an abundance of 200 pounders to drovers have to "shake" in the yards to-day unsold, and they will either have to be held over until next week, or shipped on east in first hands.

SHEEP.

There was quite an active demand during the early part of the week, and as the supply was light, an advance was established; on Wednesday, however, by that time most of the buyers had obtained all they wanted, the market commenced to weaken, and since then the advance established in the forepart of the week was lost and the market closed very dull under the influence of unfavorable reports from New York. Prime 100 lb lots of wool which sold on Tuesday and Wednesday at 5¼ cannot be quoted to-day above 5¼; and prime 200 lb lots at 5@5¼. Erisman reports the following purchases for the week: 1 car fair wool, 92 lbs, 5; 1 do open wool, 102 lbs, 5¼; 1 do, 91 lbs, 5½. 1 do open, 108 lbs, 5¼. 1 fine, 105 lbs, 5¼. 1 do extra, 102 lbs, 5.50. 1 do open wool, 94 lbs, 5. 1 do, 82 lbs, 4¾. 1 do fine, 94 lbs, 5¼. 1 do Indiana, 91 lbs, 5¼. 1 do 90 lbs, 4.90. 1 do fine, 88 4¾. 1 do Indiana, 94 lbs, 5. 1 do, 84 lbs, 4.80. These prices, however, as already intimated, could not have been obtained to-day.

New York Wool Market.

NEW YORK, October 17.—Business has been very quiet. Buyers hold off, for various reasons, and holders show little disposition to make concessions, because prices are already low, and because the responsibility of buyers on time is much a matter of conjecture. Sales have been: 25 bales super pulled at 42c., 20 bales do. at 42c.; 2,060 lbs. comb fleece, 60c.; 22,000 lbs. Western unwashed do. 38@43c.; 1,000 lbs medium do. 38c.; 2,800 lbs Michigan do. 50c.; 1,000 lbs. English mills at 46c.; 5,000 lbs. Cape, 36c.; 15,000 lbs. Mexican, 16@18c.; 8,000 lbs. Texas, 36c.; 10 bales do. 35c.; 19,000 lbs. Canada pulled, 40@42c.; 1,000 lbs. do. unwashed do. 25; 20 bales fair spring California private terms; 30 bales spring California 28@31, 5,000 at 28¾; 10 bales spring California Georgia, 8,000 lbs Oregon, 5,000 do. unwashed Georgia, 8,000 do combing pulled, 95 bags super do., 5,000 lbs unwashed fleece, 8,000 do. tubwashed do, and 18 bags secured alone, the do., 25,000 lbs California spring, 3,000 do. X Ohio fleece, and 150 bales Montevideo, all on private terms.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R LESSEE.

Isabella Furnace o	32	Graff B & Co.m	1
Lewis O & P m.	3	Nimick & Co.m	5
J W Porter.m	1	Caughey & H.m	5
L Peterson Jr & Co.m	1		
Total			48

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Isabella Furnace.o	50	Lewis B & D.o	2
W Clarke & Co.o	2	Hussey W & Co.o	2
Zug & Co.o	2	Mcknight P & Co.o	4
Shoenberger Co.o	16	S Romaids.o	1
Total			59

PENN'A. CENTRAL RAILROAD.

J Reamer.m	3	J W Porter.m	6
J Moorhead m	2		
Total			11

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, October 18, 1873.

The Crude market has been less active during the past day or two, and prices, as compared with the early part of the week, lower. Parker dispatches quoted at $3@3.05 per brl. there free on board cars, equal to about 3¼c per gallon delivered here. While, as already stated, the market is weak and lower, there is an absence of that panicky feeling that prevailed just after the financial troubles first set in, and the indications are that there will be a heavy consumptive demand during the balance of the year. In regard to the production, the general impression seems to be that it is just about holding its own, that, notwithstanding strikes are still of common occurrence, many of the old wells are steadily falling off in their yield, so that the latter will fully offset the former. If money would only commence to work a little easier, the probability is that higher prices would prevail; speculators are afraid to operate while the money market continues in its present stringent condition, although there are those who consider oil good property at present prices; this has been an exceedingly hard year on those who banked it on speculation, as the tendency has been steadily downward, so that there has been no opportunity offered, even if they were so disposed, to unload without incurring a loss

The refined market also closes dull and offish in sympathy with the raw material, and prices, as compared with this day week, are off fully ¾ of a cent ₰ gallon; the fact that exporters are reported as having some trouble in securing their exchange also has its effect. Refiners, however, are in good shape, as having contracts for all they can make for some time, and for some of them until the close of the year. Quotations may be given at 17@18¾ on cars here, on spot, delivered in Philadelphia; 15¾ for November, and 15¾ for December.

The local market has been very firm and considerably excited, and a sharp advance has been established; we now quote city make at $2.50—last week they were sold for $2.35. The supply is very much reduced, and unequal to the demand, hence the advance.

Receipts crude this week		34,675	bbl
" "	last week	37,862	"
" "	Jan'y 1 to date	1,488,993	"
" "	same time, 1872	893,731	"
Exports refined this week		21,826	"
" "	last week	8,979	"
" "	Jan'y 1 to date	684,952	"
" "	same time 1872	593,550	"

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
Tack Bros.	Beggs, L. & Co.	222
T. King	American O. W.	784
McKelvy	Cosmos O. W.	474
McKelvy	Cosmos O. W.	339
Tack Bros.	Beggs, L. & Co	240
Bushnell	Standard O. W.	317
Duncan	Penn O. W.	154
Bushnell	Standard O. W.	80
Stevenson	Petrolite O. W.	459
Bushnell	Crystal O. W.	382
McKelvy	Hutchison O. W.	451
Stevenson	Liberty O.	155
Tack & M.	Citizens O. W.	628
McKelvy	Vesta O. W.	396
McKelvy	Cosmos O. W.	396
Stevenson	Eagle O. W	391
Total		5,442

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, October 18.—Cotton steady at 19¼c. Flour in fair demand; superfine western and State $5.25@5.90; common to good $6.30@6.50; good to choice $6.70@7.00. Whisky fairly active at 93¼@94c. Wheat higher; Iowa spring $1.34@1.36; No. 3 spring $1.34c; No 1 Minnesota $1.40c; No. 2 $1.36. Rye dull at 85c. Barley quiet. Malt dull. Corn in good demand; steamer mixed western 58¼@59¾c; sail 60¾c. Oats a shade easier; old mixed western afloat 48c; new do. 50@52c. Hay and hops unchanged. Leather quiet at 26@28c. Wool in moderate request at 52¼@53c. Coffee more active; Rio 20@ 22¾c. Groceries quiet and unchanged. Petroleum dull; crude 8¾@8¾c; refined 16¾c. Turpentine lower at 40@41¾c. Pork dull at $15.70. Beef and cut meats unchanged. Middles quiet at 7¾c. Lard steady at 8¾. Butter and cheese unchanged.

Metals.—Manufactured copper steady; Ingot Lake dull and irregular at 24¾@25¼c cash; 25c for Baltimore. Spelter nominal and in buyers favor; Scotch $40@45; American $32@41; bar dull and unchanged; Russia sheet quiet at 17¾@18¼c gold. Nails quiet; cut $4.65; clinch $6.25@7.25.

CINCINNATI, October 18.—Cotton dull and declined at 16c. Flour quiet at $6.40@7.10. Wheat quiet at $1.37. Corn nominally unchanged. Rye easier at 79@80c. Oats quiet at 36@44c. Barley quiet and unchanged. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Butter firm at 22@30c. Coffee nominal. Whisky irregular and unsettled at 94@95c.

PHILADELPHIA, October 18.—Flour dull; superfine $4.50@5.25. Wheat dull; No. 1 red $1.50@ 1.55. Rye firm at 95c. Corn steady at 61@63c. Oats: business small at 48@50c. Whisky steady at 95c. Petroleum: crude 10¾c; refined 16c.

CLEVELAND, October 18.—Wheat dull; steady; No. 1 red $1.41; No. 2 do $1.37; No. 3 do $1.32@34c. Corn steady; No. 1 State 45c; No 2 do 44c. Petroleum firm and unchanged.

OSWEGO, N. Y., October 18.—Wheat quiet; No. 1 Milwaukee $1.45. Corn quiet; 69½. Barley inactive and unchanged.

WOOL.

BOSTON, October 18.—Wool quiet, with no material change during the past week. Holders are steadfast by the unsettled state of financial affairs and are not anxious to sell. Combing and delaine fleeces are not affected like other descriptions of wool, but buyers are ready to take any lot offered at full prices. There have been purchased during the week 75,000 pounds, mostly at 53@65c for washed and 42@ 45c for unwashed. Sales have been made as follows: Ohio treble extra and above 51@53c; Michigan and Wisconsin, 48@50c; low western fleeces 44@; combing and delaine washed 55@ 65c; unwashed combing and delaine 42@55c; unwashed and unmerchantable 32@38c, tub 50@ 52c; scoured 48@50c; superfine and extra pulled 42@55c.

DRY GOODS.

NEW YORK, October 18.—There is an improved and more confident feeling in trade, but transactions are limited in amount. Cotton goods are in light but there is a steady demand at firm prices. Prints are selling more freely in packages and piece lots. Plain and navy blue Polka Spot dress fabrics are fairly active and closely sold up. Cotton goods are lower. Fine cassimeres, worsted coatings, and a newer cut Tenth street are in better demand. The dry goods imported for the week were $1,604,537.

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RIVER NEWS.

An account of the burning of the steamer Mary E. Poe and loss of life, will be found in another column

—The St. Louis Globe, of Wednesday, says: Captain Green Scheidle is now at Louisville, and we are reliably informed, will contract for a splendid steamer for the New Orleans trade while there. She will be a sternwheeler 265 feet long, 63 feet beam, 10 feet hold, cylinders 60 by 7½ feet stroke, 6 boilers 28 by 40, with full cabin. She will be owned by him and Mr. Philip J. Reiser; the latter will act as her chief cashier.

—A recent St. Louis paper says: Pilot Cachill who went out to Cairo on the "John A. Scudder to look at the river, returned yesterday morning and reports the Scudder as having gone out drawing 6 feet without grounding or wearing a spar. She rubbed hard seve al places. He reports but scant 5 feet of water in the river, and Ship Island and Neiley's as being about the worst bars between here and Cairo. He also reports the Susie Silver aground at Greenfield's.

—Mrs. Winslow, wife of Henry Winslow, late steward of the steamer Quickstep, has received the full amount of a policy on her husband's life, which amounted to the nice sum of $4,625 60c.

—The river men at New Orleans now demand half of their freight bill in currency and accept the other half in certified checks, which just now, are not convertible except at a discount of from 6 to 8 per cent., which is heavy.

—The South St. Louis Iron Company offer their towboat Florence No. 2 and her 3 barges for sale.

—Above Cairo a snag penetrated the cook house of the Glencoe, knocking over the stove. Damage slight.

SNAGS BELOW MEMPHIS

A well known pilot, writing from Memphis, gives the following list of snags between New Orleans: There is one on the coast about one and a half miles above Manchac Point, two miles below Bullitt's Bend, one at Cox's, one in bend above Cowpen Point, one about three miles above Argent, a cluster on point above Shargaree, one above point at Warrenton, two above Brunswick Point, one below head of No. 98, one at head of No. 97, one at No. 96, one at No. 95, one in bend below Providence, two opposite Howell, two below Wilson's Point, several opposite No. 92, two below Bernard's, one at Stone bank, one at Bullitt's towhead, one at Cox's, one below Refuge, several above Sunnyside, one above Island, several around Island No. 82, one above Panther Forrest, two below Gaines', one above Ashbrook's Point, one above Chicot City, one at Cypress Bayou, two below Arkansas City, several along Island 76, two at head Ozark Island, several opposite Pride's Point, three below Concordia, and above Sunflower, three around Island 65, one at corner of No. 64, one above Island 64, two below Trotter's, eleven between Prairie Point and last above mouth St. Francis River, a distance of two miles, two at Mound Pance, two below Yankee Woodyard, one at Napoleon, four Ship Island, one crossing above Austin, one at Walnut Bend store, one under bar just below, two opposite Darwin, several in the chute of Island 37, several along the shore above Desmambres, four opposite Clark's T. H., several opposite Council T. H., three about one mile above Bledsoe's. The bend below Commerce is full of them; one on the palm opposite Commerce, larger than the Lee's chimneys, two above Polk's, three in Cow Island bend, one in harbor of Memphis, below elevator. These are only the most important snags in the way of steamboats in ascending the river as far as Memphis. There are a great many more that boats might run over in dark or foggy weather. Such as have been raised from the bottom of the list there are about 40 in the way from this point to Cairo.

BOILER EXPLOSION PREVENTIVE.

Captain Charles Ebaugh, of the St. Louis and Beardstown packet Maggie P., is the discoverer of a process which will prove of the highest value to the whole civilized world, if it will result as he claims it will, and he is in earnest about it. He declares that he has found a preventive against one of the cause of boiler explosions, and claims that he possesses a remedy for such casualties, and is willing to prove his assertion practically. This boatman is a practical engineer, and worker in iron; is a deep and clear thinker, and for years has used the preventative on his own boats. He has no more fear of an explosion, he says, than he has that the sun will fail to rise. He makes no secret of his discovery, but demonstrates its effectiveness in clear and convincing language. The man is no theorist or harebrained notoriety, and is as confident of the effectiveness of his process—which involves neither expense nor labor—as any man can be in regard to anything.—St. Louis Democrat.

—The St. Louis Democrat, of Friday, says: Four steamers left cotton parties now solid in part for New Orleans, and the rates are consequently shaky. For flour, 70c ₰ brl., and for pound freights, 6c is the highest and 5c the lowest; rates yesterday at which contracts were made. A meeting of the Fanny Taum Transportation Company was held yesterday, when the board of officers, and resulted as follows: J. G. Prather, President; John Elwell, Secretary and Treasurer; Joseph Taum, Jr., Wm. Barnard, John Atkins, of Alton, Directors. The steamer J W Swords is the last one struck by the United States Board of New Orleans, and Alex. Chevalier is the libelant.

VALUABLE IMPROVEMENT IN VALVES FOR STEAM ENGINES.

Mr. Joseph H. Stombs, who for several years has been a prominent and efficient engineer on the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati packets, has made improvement in valves for steam engines known as balance slide valves. The improvement consists in a balance valve, through which the steam passes to the cylinder of the engine by means of the ordinary steam ports. The valve slides upon the value seat of the steam chest, as is usual with such valve, and has at its top an opening for the escape of steam, and a valve upon which a packing ring rides. This packing ring fits inside of a cylinder, and is held to it by a spring, and follows and rises with the new valve is applicable for a throttle valve, or for any other purpose where a balance valve is desirable. Mr. Republican says it is estimated by practical engineers and mechanics to add ten per cent. to the power of the steam engine over the old valve, while it does so by doing away with all the friction of the old valve, which not only rides with its own weight upon the valve seat, but is held down with the additional pressure of the steam from seventy to one hundred and fifty pounds, as the case may be, to every square inch of the surface exposed.—St. Louis Democrat.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R R.—29 pkgs lard, E H Myers & Co; 6 cars flour, weekers Bros; 1 do, J Wilson & Co; 1 do, Lewis & Lea Jr; 1 do, J Graham; 3 bris h nuts, R W & F C Miller; 100 hides, J Hammett & Son; lot produce, Woodward & Co; 2 cars flour, Lea & Co; 2 do, P Duff & Son; 17 do, Read C & Co; 12 do, Shoemaker & Co; 1 car shingles, W Douglas; 1 do spelts, Moorhead & Co; 2 bris whisky, J & M Bell; 1 car 353 hds cheese, Braden & P; 50 do, 1 car potatoes, E Fox & Co; 125 sks do, Wm Graham; 1 car potatoes, M Schwartz; 1 do, Hulett Bros; 25 bags oats, J Henkie; 20 dozen brooms, Arbuckles & Co; 1 car flour, Lea & Co; 1 do, Caughey & H; 18 bris apples, Loh & C; 1 car oats, Schneibach & H; 1 do, J Graham; 8 bris apples, Dilworth Bro; 100 bags oats, A Ehrlich; 1 car flour, Read C & McQuewan & D; 2 pkgs dry apples, M F Cassady, 12 bris g do, H Rea Jr.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—3 cars hay, O H Allerton; 4 kegs lard, 3 orls eggs, H Riddle Son and Co; 10 pkgs to mdse, Adams Express Co; 24 do oats, Wm Cahall; 2 M Taylor; 5 bris flour, V Ludwig; 20 pkgs tobacco, M Hoyle; 30 bris whisky, J F Ryer; 100 do flour, T Jenkins; 1 car 5 cows, H R McClellan; 36 pigs lead, Bailey Fand Co; 1 car hay, M F Herron; 1 do car corn, R Knox and Son; 1 do grain, D C Hunter; 1 do tobacco, Johnson and C; 10 do do, A S Gilmore; 16 bxs do, A Wilson; 130 bris flour, Hitchcock McC; 1 car hay, Stone & Co; 1 do, Wm Graham; 1 do, J H Parker; 47 bales cotton, Kennedy C and Co; 18 sks feathers, R Dickey and Co; 38 bales cotton, H H Shinn and Co; 1 car lumber, Lecompte & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.—160 bris lime, J H Caufield; 100 do, King Son & Co; 50 bris lime, Lewis & Lea; 50 bdls chairs, W H Lemon; 2 racks w in shape, Boger & M; 1 do, O'Neil & Co;

HOME NEWS.

A Boy Crushed by a Locomotive.

Archie Frazier, a boy residing at McKeesport, met with a fatal accident on Saturday evening last. The lad, who was about fifteen years of age, attempted to take a ride on the cow-catcher of a locomotive, when he was thrown under its wheels and so badly crushed that he died in about two minutes after.

Found Drowned.

Coroner West on Saturday held an inquest on the body of Frank Keenan, at the Ferry Landing, Temperanceville. Deceased was found floating in the Ohio river and is supposed to have fallen in from some point above. His body had been in the water several days. A verdict of found drowned was rendered. Deceased formerly lived in Boston, and had only been in this city about three weeks. His sister took charge of his remains.

Suit for Infringement.

Suit was brought in the Common Pleas Court last week by J. B. Sheriff & Son, to recover for the use of four syphon pumps, which had been purchased by the city from Hugh Cole. It appears however that Coll had sold all his interest in the patent to plaintiffs for their exclusive use in the States of Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, and therefore had no right whatever to sell the article in the city or any one. Hence the suit to recover.

CRUSHED BY A TRAIN.

Man Killed at the Outer Depot.

At seven o'clock last evening a young man about eighteen years of age, named Jas. Simpson, was killed at the outer depot of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railroad, in Allegheny City. He was a repairman, and was just going to work. He was walking down the track and stepped off to avoid an approaching train, when another came up; he was caught by it and instantly killed. His home is on Franklin alley in the Fourth ward.

Swedenborgianism.

Yesterday the new chapel erected in Allegheny for the Swedenborgian Society or "New Church," was dedicated with appropriate exercises. The new edifice is located on the corner of Isabella and Sandusky streets, Allegheny, and is a very neat one-story frame building of the Gothic style and in the form of a cross. Externally it presents a tasteful and attractive appearance, and internally is a model of tasteful simplicity.

This is the only society of the kind in Western Pennsylvania, and has been in existence for about a dozen years, and is composed of several seventy-five communicants, among whom are some of our most intelligent and upright citizens. The pastor is Rev. W. H. Benade, who stands high for culture and mental force wherever he is known.

The services yesterday attracted good audiences—comprising many who were not in sympathy with the denomination, but who were attracted by the dedicatory services. The formal dedication took place in the morning at half-past ten o'clock by the Rev. J. B. Hibbord, of Chicago. In the evening Rev. J. P. Stewart conducted the services. The ritual laid down in the church rules for such occasions was observed to the letter, and the service was one of interest, not only to the members of the church, but to their friends who gathered to congratulate them upon the completion of their building and the inauguration of a new era of prosperity.

HAMPTONIANA.

Not Satisfied with the Result—A New Trial Asked For—The Reasons Not Yet Filed —The Probable Action.

As was intimated in our report Saturday morning, the counsel for Hampton are not satisfied with the result of the trial last week and desire to have the matter re-opened. Saturday morning when "Little Horace" was brought into the court room he displayed evidences of having suffered during the previous evening and was hardly able to sit up. As soon as court opened his counsel made a motion for an arrest of judgment and in making the motion explained that the reasons had not been formally prepared, but would be filed within the limited time of four days. The court accepted the motion and Hampton was immediately taken back to his cell.

It is probable that the reasons will be filed this morning. Among the points that will be brought up, it is said, are these: That the court erred in admitting those telegrams in evidence; that it failed to explain to the jury the law on circumstantial evidence; that it erred in refusing to admit the testimony of the witnesses for the defense offered on Friday morning; and that now testimony of importance will be introduced. But the most important reason, probably, that will be urged is that the jury did not render a unanimous verdict, as members of the jury which convicted Hampton have since stated that the reason they returned a verdict of guilty was to induce Hampton to confess who did steal the box.

SHOT IN THE THIGH.

An Affray in Lawrenceville Friday Evening—Suits on Both Sides.

Charles W. Greer was shot in the thigh on Friday night by Constable John Hoerr of the Seventeenth ward. It is alleged that late that night Greer attempted to get into the meeting of the Pittsburgh Teacher's Institute in Washington School Hall, Lawrenceville, without an invitation. Hoerr was on duty there and refused to admit Greer unless he could show his "bid." Greer became enraged, and, as alleged, struck the officer in the face, and several companions, it is stated, joined in the attack. The officer then drew his revolver and fired five shots in rapid succession. One of the shots struck Greer in the thigh, the ball passing upwards and backwards and lodging near the spine. Immediately after the shooting Greer was taken to his home in Lawrenceville, where he received prompt medical attention. On Saturday morning, Samuel Greer, the father of the injured man, made an information before the Mayor charging Hoerr with felonious assault and battery. He claims that his son attended the meeting with his sister, after speaking to some friends, attempted to pass in, when he was prevented by Hoerr. The accused was arrested and gave bail in the sum of $1,500 for a hearing this day week. Information has also been made by Hoerr against Greer and others, charging them with felonious assault and battery, too. The constable it is said is pretty badly used up.

THE TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

Essays, Discussions and Addresses.

The Saturday morning session of the Pittsburg Teachers Institute convened at half past nine o'clock in Ralston school Hall, corner of Penn and Fifteenth streets. The exercises commenced with a song, quite appropriate at this season of the year, entitled "Autumn Leaves," from the Allegheny Quartette Club. Prof. B. F. Jones followed in prayer. Half an hour was spent by Miss Mattie J. Coleman in reading a delightful essay on "Physical Education for Girls." The Quartette Club again came to the front with "Beautiful days of the past," after which Professor Burtt led the van in opening a discussion on the question "How shall we Teach Natural Philosophy." In his opinion it ought not to be taught at all, as he was opposed to the use of text books in the ward schools. After a recess of ten minutes and music, the discussion was continued by Prof. Eaton, of the Forbes schools, Prof. Harrison, of the Morrisville school, Prof. Duncan, of the Washington school, Prof. H. O. Gibbons, of the Lawrenceville schools, Dr. G. Jilson, Principal of the High School, Prof. Charles K. Wood, teacher of Natural Philosophy in the High School, and Prof. Burtt. The annual address was delivered by City Superintendent Luckey. He reviewed the work of the year that is gone, and offered many valuable suggestions in relation to increasing the interest in the public schools, and closed by painting a fine picture showing the progress that had been made in Pittsburgh in educational matters. After the address the Institute adjourned.

McKEE AFTER McKEESPORT.

A Son of the Founder of that Borough in Search of his Rights—Probable Agitation—A Chance for a Long Law Suit.

The McKeesport *Times* of last week contains the following announcement:

The arrival of Redick McKee, son of John McKee, the founder of McKeesport, now a resident of San Francisco, California, in this place has given rise to numerous rumors among our citizens and various comments have been made as to the object of his visit at the present time. A representative of this paper called upon Mr. McKee last evening at his hotel, and after introducing himself, inquired of that gentleman if he had any objection to stating the nature of the business which has called him from his home upon the Pacific Slope. Mr. McKee, a fine looking gentleman, apparently about sixty years of age, stated to our reporter that he was not at present prepared to make any very definite statement of the nature of his business here, but from his conversation during a very pleasant interview we gleaned the following particulars: The original title to a large portion of the territory now occupied by the borough of McKeesport, embracing some four thousand acres, was granted by his grandfather from the Indian queen Aliquippa, whose abode was in the vicinity of the cemetery. After the town was laid out by his father, the late John McKee, the lots were offered in the market at the uniform price of $20 each, and $1 per annum for ground rent. [This claim was afterwards rescinded.] Many deeds were made in the following manner: A dollar deed entitled the purchaser to a ticket ensuring him one lot. As soon as a sufficient number of tickets were sold a meeting was called and the lots distributed according to the numbers drawn. The payment of the other ten dollars was to be made when the deed was delivered by Mr. McKee. Some of the purchasers doubting the validity of the title, Mr. McKee rode from this place to Philadelphia on horseback and secured from the State of Pennsylvania a clear title to the grounds referred to. Certain lots were donated by him for a public square, church and school purposes, &c. The ground which has been used by three or four generations for a public graveyard was never conveyed to the town authorities, or to any person or persons—or at least no records exists of such transfer. As long as the ground was used for the purposes of a cemetery it was allowed to remain in the possession of the town. Mr. McKee informs us that he has as yet no reliable information as to the validity of what claims he opposes to make, but the people of McKeesport may rest assured that he has too much respect for the memory and reputation of his deceased father to take any unjust advantage of any person or persons who may hold property in this town, acquiring it in good faith and under the impression that it was a clear title thereto.

Blair's Lunch Room,
Open until ten o'clock to-night.

An excellent lunch is daily provided for ladies out shopping, by Blair,
62 Fifth avenue.

California Canned Fruit
For sale by the dozen at
Blair's, 62 Fifth avenue.

A COWARDLY CRIME.

An Old Woman Murdered.

The Probable Cause of the Tragedy—Its Object, Money—The Victim a Beggar Woman who is Supposed to Have Hoarded Wealth—A Sight of Horror—The Deed Enveloped in Mystery—Facts and Surmises—Arrest of Suspected Parties—Interview with the Prisoners—Conflicting Statements—Commencement of the Coroner's Inquest.

This morning we record another murder Pittsburgh has been remarkably free from heinous and atrocious crimes of late, in comparison to cities of equal size in other parts of the country. The murder, of which we give the horrible details this morning, for atrocity has rarely been equaled in the annals of crime in this country. It was one of cold blood, with all the horrors of monstrous atrocity, and its object the thirst for money. In a little old house on Clay alley near Kirkpatrick street, just off Wylie avenue, in the Thirteenth ward, has lived for a long time an aged widow named Margaret Brauenlien. The woman was about seventy years of age, and was a native of Germany. She and her husband came to Pittsburgh from Germany a great many years ago.

HE WAS A BAKER BY TRADE,

but for some years past he had not been able to do any work. About three years ago he became crazy and was sent to Dixmont, but there he soon was cured and sent home, and two years ago he died, in the same house where the deed of blood was done. He and his wife resided in the only room in the second story of the building, the three rooms on the ground floor being occupied by a stone mason named Schuettler and his family, consisting of a wife and six children.

The woman still remained in the room, clinging to be very poor. Her apparent poverty struck the hearts of the charitable, and she begged daily, receiving, it is said, numerous contributions of money. Her old age and apparent simplicity worked on the sympathies of the many, and nightly she went home with her pocket well laden with evidence of her cunning which she had displayed during the day. While individuals were contributing to her alms which she was hoarding up, a ladies' relief society and the Guardians of the Poor were furnishing her with

SUFFICIENT TO LIVE DAY BY DAY AS SHE DID.

Her success as a beggar shows clearly that she must have hoarded money sufficient to induce some fiend to murder her. She, besides receiving money from the people by begging and the aid from other sources, was often made the recipient of quantities of tea, coffee, sugar, and other eteeteras, which she used to sell to the grocers in the neighborhood for money. It is also said that a year ago she sold a certain person that she brought west sums of gold from Germany which she had hidden away, and that she was not so poor as she seemed. This would tend to prove that

THE MOTIVE FOR THE MURDER WAS MONEY.

A little girl named Annie Freeberger had been serving the woman for some time past with milk; she was in the habit of calling every other day to the widow's room. The old lady was last seen alive on Thursday last, when Mrs. Schuettler, who lived down stairs, says she saw her going up to her room. On Friday morning Annie Freeberger called at the house with a pail of milk, and going to the room found the door was locked. She looked through the key-hole and noticed that the stove was upset and that there was blood on the floor. She went home and told her sister, who in turn told the story to a neighboring woman. This was on Friday evening and they concluded to wait till the next morning before they would make an investigation. On Friday morning they notified the police, and, finding the door still locked, they sought the assistance of the landlord of the premises and he obtained a key to fit the door.

A SIGHT OF HORROR PRESENTED ITSELF.

In a bed in one corner of the apartment lay the body of the murdered woman, the head and face lying in a pool of coagulated blood. The room itself presented the evidences of a fearful struggle. The woman must have fought hard for her life, as all the furniture was in dire confusion. The stove was upset and alongside

LAY A POOL OF BLOOD.

Tracks of blood were plainly marked from the stove to the bed, which would show that the victim had been drawn from where she had been murdered to the bed, where the perpetrator of the crime had rifled her. Two trunks in the room had been broken open and the contents were scattered over the floor, showing that they had been thoroughly ransacked, and that a robbery had been committed. Every article of furniture was out of place, and on the opposite side of the room from the bed, lay the

WEAPON THAT HAD DONE THE BLOODY WORK.

It was an old hatchet, rusty, covered almost completely with blood. It lay beside an iron pot, resting but down against the wall. Only one dollar and twenty-five cents in money was found in the room. This lay hidden in a cupboard. Finding so little money in the apartment would clearly tend to show that there was no other motive for the murder than robbery. The murderer had determined to complete his work as the wounds of the woman would show. Shortly after the body had been discovered it was noised about the neighborhood that a

FOUL MURDER HAD BEEN COMMITTED.

Then the people commenced to flock to the scene of the tragedy, and the wildest excitement prevailed in the vicinity. The general expression seemed to be, "How is it possible that a tragedy like this, attended with all its bloody curdling horrors, could have been committed in the heart of our city?" And certainly it seems a wonder that a family residing in the same house should know nothing of it. Many people scouted the idea of murder, and thought the old lady must have committed suicide; but a little investigation on their part soon put such a theory to rest.

IT WAS MURDER MOST FOUL.

For how could a person inflict such wounds upon themselves as these here recorded, and afterwards drag themselves across the room and lay themselves upon a bed? The idea of suicide at once seemed too absurd to entertain it almost for an instant. The blows inflicted with the hatchet were of a most deadly character, and almost any one of them (they were three in number) would have been sufficient to produce death. One of the blows was made with the butt of the weapon, and crushed in the skull. On the other side of the head were

FRIGHTFUL GASHES WHICH WERE DONE WITH THE SHARP EDGE OF THE HORRIBLE WEAPON.

The blood from these wounds gushed in streams and settled in the middle of the floor in a pool, leaving marks all the way to the bed. The pillows which lay under the head of the murdered woman were thoroughly drenched with blood. The murderer had wrapped an old petticoat around the face of the murdered woman. From the bed to where the hatchet stood against the wall, no blood traces were visible. This, if nothing more, would dispel the idea of accident. The hatchet used was not the one belonging to the murdered woman, but a peculiar instrument of its kind.

THE SCENE OF THE TRAGEDY.

The room in which the murder was committed is entered by stairs from the outside. The old lady must have been standing near the stove at the time she was attacked as the stove was upset in the struggle, from appearances. After she was knocked down the fatal blows were probably dealt and then she was dragged to the bed. Everything valuable was carried away and the murderer, whoever he was, took precautions to carry the key away in order to delay discovery of his crime.

Coroner West was notified of the tragedy, and shortly after, he empannelled a jury and proceeded to hold an inquest.

THE EVIDENCE ELICITED.

Mrs. Catharine Schneitler was sworn and examined, but her evidence elicited nothing of importance and nothing that would tend to throw off the cloak of mystery which at present surrounds the case. She did say she heard a fuss on Thursday night and also heard a groan, but she paid no particular attention to it, as it seemed nothing unusual. Catharine Delerman was also sworn, but her testimony elicited simply nothing. Barbara Zweck, wife of the landlord who owns the premises, was examined very closely, but only succeeded in

SEEING THE WOMAN ALIVE ON

Thursday morning and that she threatened to take poison, further than that nothing was elicited from her.

Her husband John Zweck was also examined, but he could give no information except to state that he unlocked the door and found the room in a demoralized condition, and the corpse of the murdered woman lying on the bed. The girl Anna Freebeeger testified to looking through the key-hole of the door, when she went to bring the milk, and seeing the stove upset and the blood upon the floor. She also testified to having told her sister of what she saw; the door was always unlocked when she came with the milk.

Dr. James S. Thorn testified to having made a post mortem examination; found two flesh wounds near the right eye; one flesh wound near the left, and a fracture of the temporal bone of the skull; there was a partial fracture of the lower jaw, right side; am positive the woman

COULD NOT HAVE INFLICTED THE WOUND HERSELF.

the fracture of the skull had apparently been made by some blunt instrument, the blow being struck downward, as the flesh was considerably torn; the cuts must have been made with some sharp edged instrument; it would have been impossible for her to have committed the deed and dragged herself to the bed; I am of the opinion that she was first murdered and then dragged to the bed; I am of the opinion, from the appearances of the body, that she had been dead for about forty-eight hours.

This closed the evidence, and the inquest was adjourned until this morning at ten o'clock, at the Coroner's office.

The body was removed to Beinhauer's undertaking establishment on Grant street, and from there it will be buried at the expense of the county.

FACTS AND SURMISES.

The facts of the case as they were developed were quickly noised abroad and information was sent to the Mayor's office and detectives were at once set to work to ferret out the guilty parties if possible. They had orders to keep watch of any who acted suspiciously. The tragedy must certainly have been attended with a great deal of noise for how could a heavy stove be upset in a ricketty frame shanty as this one is without making a noise? The least noise on the floor where the murded pauper lived, could be heard very distinctly, on the floor below. Then how is it possible that the noise of that fatal struggle could not be heard on the floor below? Surely there is a great mystery hidden somewhere and it may be brought out to-day at the Coroner's inquest.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

Suspicion cast itself on the family who lived in the house with the murdered woman, and on Saturday evening Detectives Wilmot, Moesner and Pender proceeded to the house of the Schneitler family and arrested Franz Schleutter, Sr., Franz Jr., aged fourteen years, and Fritz, aged about twenty, his two sons. This trio was placed in the lock-up and each assigned separate cells, where they could not communicate with one another. On the the oldest of the two boys two keys were found, one of which was thought to be the key of the murdered woman's room. But, on trying it, it was found that it would look the door from the inside only, consequently it could not have been the key that had been carried away. The detectives and Coroner were not satisfied with these arrests. It was found, too, that the statements of the two boys conflicted greatly, and the old man denied all knowledge of the crime.

MORE ARRESTS.

There was one of the sons lately married, and he moved away from the house on Friday. It was thought that he could tell more than is at present known and accordingly search was made for him, and on yesterday about noon he and his wife were arrested and placed in the lock-up. They were found on Mount Washington, where they had moved on Friday last, the day after the murder had been committed. His name is Johann Schleutter. The officers of the law were not yet satisfied; they hardly thought they had the guilty parties, but thought that those who were in custody

"MIGHT A HARROWING TALE UNFOLD,"

but they did no such a thing, except to make conflicting statements and denying all guilty knowledge of the crime. John Zweck, the owner of the premises, was also arrested. He was indignant, and thought that they had no business to have any suspicion on him, as he had nothing to do with the murder. Young Schleutter and his wife were taken from their home, and allowed to carry nothing away, but the officers took charge of the premises under orders from the Coroner and Mayor. John is an engineer by trade, and is employed by Messrs. Ramsey & Renton, corner of Ferry and Water streets.

THE PRISONERS INTERVIEWED.

Yesterday afternoon a reporter of the GAZETTE visited the prisoners in their cells in the lock-up, and through the courtesy of Capt. Reed facilities were given to converse with each separately. The first visited was Johannas and his wife. They were allowed the freedom of the female prison, and as they were very wet, they were near the stove drying themselves. The reporter commenced the conversation with asking Schleutter why he had been arrested.

Schleutter said he did not know.

Reporter—"When did you move away from the house of your father?"

Schleutter—"On Friday morning last; I went to work and my wife also went away and bought some things, and when we got home from town Mount Washington. I am only lately married."

Rep.—"Where was you on Thursday night?"

Schleutter—"I was at my father's."

Rep.—"Did you hear any noises that night?"

Schleutter—"No, I was asleep."

Rep.—"Are you sure you heard no noise?"

Schleutter—"Yes, I am sure. You know a man going to bed after a hard day's work sleeps very sound."

Rep.—"What time did you go to work on Thursday, and what time did you come home?"

Schleutter—"I went to work about six and came home near seven; had supper; read the paper awhile, and then went to bed."

Rep.—"What time did you go to bed?"

Schleutter—"About nine o'clock."

Rep.—"You know, of course, that a noise made any where in the house could be distinctly heard in any portion of it, from the fact of its being so very ricketty?"

Schleutter—"I know, but we slept in the cellar kitchen; besides, I was fast asleep after a hard day's work, and did not bother myself about any noise—in fact, I know nothing about the murder."

Rep.—"Do you know that the woman was supposed to have any money?"

Schleutter—"I don't know anything about the woman; I didn't use to see her."

Rep.—"Why did you move away?"

Schleutter—"Oh, because I wanted to keep house with my wife. I am a hard-working man, I am, I had nothing to do wi h the murder, and I don't know why I was arrested. About this stage of the conversation his wife commenced to talk very volubly in German, and her husband, who, fortunately, happened to be well posted in that language, so the volley did not affect him. She stated, in substance, that she didn't know why she was arrested; she had nothing to do with the murder, and that her husband; that was a poor old beggar woman; she had no money; we slept in the cellar kitchen where we couldn't hear any noise if any was made; besides we slept so very sound; I saw the old woman twice on Thursday last; in the morning at afternoon; she spoke to me, and said she was tired of life and would take poison; I said been washing all day; I saw her in the yard when I was taking in the clothes in the morning and evening; she spoke to me, paying the usual courtesies; I didn't know her very well; she went out begging in the afternoon with a stick in her hand; I was only married last week; I went out on Thursday night and bought dishes, tea and groceries, and we came home near nine; I went to bed about nine; I moved Friday afternoon; my husband went away to work in the morning; I went away too, then; but I bought furniture and things, and then I didn't move into the afternoon.

Rep.—"But you said you came home at ten o'clock and went to bed at nine; how is this?"

Mrs. Schleutter.—"Oh, I mean now, it might have been later or earlier; I don't know anything about this business, neither does my husband; we didn't kill anybody, and we don't want any such trouble."

WHAT FRANTZ THINKS.

This is a boy about fourteen years of age, and he earnestly protested his innocence.

That he slept in the room with his two brothers, Fritz and John; John's wife didn't sleep with him that night; she slept with mother; I heard no noise and I don't know anything about this business. About this time the boy commenced crying, and the reporter left him and

HELD A CONVERSATION WITH JOHN ZWECK.

This man is probably about forty years of age. He appeared to be very much excited, and spoke to our reporter in German. He said this was an outrage; he was an honest citizen; he was a kind man; he had done this woman lots of good; he gave her milk, and nothing else but that he was satisfied with three dollars; she lived in his house nearly six years; he gave her a couple of dollars a year ago; a Ladies' Aid Society and the Guardians of the Poor supported her; she was very poor; his wife collected the rent; he didn't know why he should hurt that woman, who went daily to beg, and who was so poor, why it wasn't in his nature; he didn't want her in his house, but he pitied her and had been very kind to her; he was in her room on Thursday, plastering it; it isn't finished yet; the house wants more fixing, and he wants to go home to do it, and not be in a cell; he would show the authorities their mistake.

YOUNG FRITZ STORK.

This young man was not very communicative, but he said that he didn't hear any noise; that he was too tired that night, and that he went to bed early with his two brothers; John didn't sleep with his wife that night, she slept with my mother; I don't know anything about this business, and I don't know why they brought me here.

WHAT OLD MAN SCHLEUTTER SAID.

His conversation was in German. He said he was an old settler of 43 years' stand, and he said he didn't know anything of it; he was not home all of Thursday; in the evening he and a friend sat on the door step, talking; I heard no noise of any kind that night; I went to bed as usual; God knows I am innocent, and as He wills, I am willing.

As the statements made by the prisoners conflict considerably, they will each be sworn and examined separately at the inquest, when the mystery may be unravelled.

BREVITIES.

····A coal boat rise is expected.

····A change in the Allegheny Valley railroad time table will take place to-day. Those interested should note it.

····Thomas Johnson who, while intoxicated, struck Frank Gentz and Wm. Loftus, on Friday night, on Seventh street, has been committed to jail for trial in default of $1,000 bail.

····Parties interested in street ordinances that have passed one branch of Councils, and will come up for final passage at the next meeting of Councils, will find several of them on our third page to-day.

····William Slake died on Friday, from the effect, it is said, of a wound on the leg inflicted by a stone thrown while the boys of the O'Hara and McCully glass houses were engaged about a week ago in a stone fight.

····For the quarter ending October 1 there were in this city four hundred and twenty-four marriages, one thousand three hundred and seventy one births and one thousand one hundred and ninety-nine deaths.

····The next term of court of common pleas of Butler county will commence at Butler on day. The calendar has about 1,500 cases on it. Heretofore the number has been in the neighborhood of sixty. There are also six hundred executions returnable at this court.

····Saturday afternoon another conference was held between President Cohen, of the Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore railroad, and the sub-committees of the Street, Road and Survey committees. The question of the improvements contemplated on Second avenue, where the railroad traverses that street, was discussed, but no decision was arrived at. The railroad company entertain the idea that the city surveyors did not find the true line of the street, and that company have their engineers now at work endeavoring to discover the original survey. The meeting Saturday was adjourned till next Thursday.

Genuine Reductions
In Fine Dry Goods.

Hugus & Hacke respectfully announce that during the past week they have availed themselves largely of the temporary depression of business and consequent great decline in the Eastern markets to replenish all their departments with the most desirable goods at the LOWEST CASH PRICES, and are now offering their ENTIRE STOCK at correspondingly low rates.

In particular, they would call attention to their stock of Black and Colored Silks, Shawls, Cloaks, Costumes, and Dress Goods which their customers will find well supplied with reasonable and attractive Goods, and which, for variety and cheapness, have never been surpassed. Ladies should take an early opportunity to avail themselves of the splendid inducements here presented.

HUGUS & HACKE,
Fifth avenue and Market street.

Blair's Lunch Bulletin.

Cold Ham,	Coffee,
Cold Turkey,	Tea,
Cold Corn Beef,	Chocolate,
Cold Chicken,	Milk,
Sardines,	

Hot Rolls, Tea Cakes,
French Buns, Potted Meats,
French Rolls, Sardines.

Rooms open from 7 A. M. to 8:30 P. M.

Cocoanut Caramels,
Chocolate Caramels,
Coffee Caramels,
New Crop Oranges,
Choice Lot Bananas,
Malaga Grapes,
at Blair's,
62 Fifth avenue.

Blair's Lunch Room,
At 62 Fifth avenue,
Is very popular with the ladies.

Blair's Lunch Room keeps open until ten o'clock Saturday night.

EVANGELICAL ECHOES.

Sermons of Sheshadrai.

An Interesting Sunday in Pittsburgh—Woman's Work in India—Addresses Yesterday and Last Night Regarding Missionary Labor.

Notwithstanding the exceedingly disagreeable weather yesterday morning, and the never ceasing downfall of rain, a very large audience was gathered in the forenoon in Dr. Swift's church, on Arch street, Allegheny city, to hear the second of the series of addresses from Rev. Narayan Sheshadrai, the converted high caste Brahmin. All the people that went were unable to get seats and many had to content themselves with a position in the hall, where they could stand and look through the doorway at the white turban that shone so prominently in the pulpit. The speaker chose the following text: "I will give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possessions." He occupied considerable time in his address, but was intently listened to until the end.

THE AFTERNOON MEETING.

The meeting in the afternoon was held in the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. Scovel's, and notwithstanding the rain, the occasion drew together an audience of men, women and children that filled the spacious auditorium and galleries, until there was no more seating or standing room.

The exercises were opened at half-past three o'clock with a voluntary by the choir, after which Rev. Dr. W. D. Howard announced the 548th hymn, which was sung by the congregation, Rev. Dr. Hodge following the praise, led the audience in prayer, after which another hymn was sung.

Rev. John S. Woodside was then introduced and made an excellent address on "Womans' Work in India" the speaker has been for about twenty-five years engaged in missioneray work and was therefore competent to talk upon the topic selected. He said latest statistics showed that there were one hundred and fifty millions of people in India, and of them it was estimated that one half were women,—the women were almost entirely devoid of education. Hitherto all missionary work had been confined principally to the men, for the reason that the women could not be reached. The conditiou of the women of India was one of degradation. They were accorded no respect, but were treated as inferiors in every respect. The speaker said that a great relief society was looked upon in the family as a calamity, and so strong was the feeling that a Hindoo husband has been known to beat to death the wife who would present him with a female babe. The birth of a female child is considered so much in the nature of a curse that the event is never referred to in the townhall, or among friends thereafter, and the feelings of detestation which this engenders has led to frightful infanticide, which is destroying a hundred thousand children annually,—and this, notwithstanding every effort made by the Government to put it down.

When a boy is born the case is different. It is a matter of much rejoicing and feasting, and every manifestation of delight is indulged in. If the female child's life is spared, the first business to be attended to is its betrothal, and this is attended to without delay, for if the child should not be betrothed before it is four years old, it would be disgraced, and if as late as nine years, the whole family would be outcasts. As soon they as are betrothed the interest of their parents in them is over. They grow up in ignorance and pass to their husband, whose slaves they then become.

Having thus sketched the position of Indian women, the speaker next gave an interesting account of the Zenani Missons in India. Zenani means home, and the Zenani Missons means the missionary work in the houses of the people of the country, especially. On every Saturday night, on Seventh street, has been committed to jail for trial in default of $1,000 bail.

····Parties interested in street ordinances that have passed one branch of Councils, and will come up for final passage at the next meeting of Councils, will find several of them on our third page to-day.

····William Slake died on Friday, from the effect, it is said, of a wound on the leg inflicted by a stone thrown while the boys of the O'Hara and McCully glass houses were engaged about a week ago in a stone fight.

····For the quarter ending October 1 there were in this city four hundred and twenty-four marriages, one thousand three hundred and seventy one births and one thousand one hundred and ninety-nine deaths.

····The next term of court of common pleas of Butler county will commence at Butler on day. The calendar has about 1,500 cases on it. Heretofore the number has been in the neighborhood of sixty. There are also six hundred executions returnable at this court.

····Saturday afternoon another conference was held between President Cohen, of the Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore railroad, and the sub-committees of the Street, Road and Survey committees. The question of the improvements contemplated on Second avenue, where the railroad traverses that street, was discussed, but no decision was arrived at. The railroad company entertain the idea that the city surveyors did not find the true line of the street, and that company have their engineers now at work endeavoring to discover the original survey. The meeting Saturday was adjourned till next Thursday.

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PRESBYTERIAN.

The Synod of Pittsburgh—Annual Meeting—The Opening Exercises—First Day's Proceedings—The Permanent Organization—The Committees of Synod—A Review of the Temperance Question—Synod Endorses Prohibition—An Earnest Exhortation to Members of the Church—The Publication Interest—Increased Efficiency Aimed at—A Missionary Meeting.

The Synod of Pittsburgh of the Presbyterian Church commenced its annual session in the East Liberty church (Rev. John Gillespie's) Friday evening, there being a full attendance of members and a number of spectators. The evening session was opened with a sermon by the retiring Moderator, Rev. Loyal Young, D. D., of French Creek, West Virginia, from the text I. John, 2:28—"And now, little children, abide in Him; that when He shall appear, we shall have confidence, and not be ashamed before Him at His coming."

At the conclusion of the sermon the Synod was constituted with prayer by Dr. Young. The temporary clerk, Rev. J. J. Beacom, called the roll, and 103 ministers and 71 ruling elders were found to be present.

The Synod then proceeded to the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

Rev. W. F. Hamilton, of Livermore, Moderator.

Rev. S. M. Heuderson, of Wilkinsburg, Temporary Clerk.

Rev. John M. Barnett, of Connelsville, Permanent Clerk.

Adjourned with prayer.

Synod re-assembled at nine o'clock Saturday morning, and after the usual opening exercises, the Moderator announced the following:

STANDING COMMITTEES:

Bills and Overtures—(Ministers)—Loyal Young, D. D., D. W. Fisher, W. A. Fleming, S. J. Wilson, D. D., (Ruling Elders) D. W. McConaughy, Hon. James Paul, Oliver McClintock.

Judicial—(Ministers)—John McMillan, D. D., T. R. Ewing, James Black, D. D., James H. Flanagan. (Ruling Elders) W. G. Johnston, Prof. S. G. Stevens, Wm. Davis.

Minutes of General Assembly.—(Ministers)—Gilbert M. Hair, P. S. Jennings, (Ruling Elder) —James Allen.

Narrative for 1874.—(Ministers)—John Gillespie, James I. Brownson, D. D., H. Blain. (Ruling Elders)—W. O'H. Scully, Freeman F. Sexton.

Leave of Absence and Late Attendance.—(Ministers)—L. Grier, W. W. McKinney, D. D. (Ruling Elders)—John T. McClaughin, R. A. Blackford, Henry Stewart.

Reasons for Absence from Four Meetings.—(Ministers)—S. M. Davis, James P. Fulton. (Ruling Elder)—John H. Kinkead.

Fee, Fund and Treasurer's Accounts—(Ministers) —J. S. Pomeroy, D. W. Townsend. (Ruling Elder)—John A. Happer.

PRESBYTERIAN RECORD—Blairsville, (ministers) S. R. Rosebrough, E. K. Donahoe, (ruling elder) Robert Smith. Pittsburgh—(ministers) J. F. Fredericks, James Davis; (ruling elder) Col. R. S. Corbett. Red Stone—(ministers) S. F. Grier, A. A. Jameson; (ruling elder) L. McCheeny. Washington—(ministers) John McCheeny. Washington—(ministers) John McCheeny. Washington—(ministers) John